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FROM WASHINGTON.

THE HOUMAS LAND BILL PASSED.

Further Debate on the Missouri Contested Election Case.

The House Fillibustering for Want of a Quorum.

MR. MORRILL ON "NATIONAL DEMOCRACY."

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 6.

STATISTICS OF MORTALITY IN THE ARMY.

The Senate has received to-day from the Secretary of War some interesting statistics of sickness and mortality in the United States army for the past five years, which was ordered to be printed for circulation. They will form a good-sized volume.

PITTSBURGH AND THE TARIFF BILL.

Mr. BIGLER presented a petition from the Board of Trade of Pittsburgh, urging the passage of the Tariff bill now before the Senate, and reiterating the old cry of languishing workshops and factories, which need protection to revive them.

THE LANDER WAGON-ROAD ENTERPRISE—THREATENED OPPOSITION FROM THE INDIANS.

Letters from Col. LANDER, of the 16th May, report him as being in Sacramento, organizing his wagon-road party, and state that he will push forward with his work, Indians or no Indians. A trader from among the Shoshones came to him and reported that the Indians had determined to continue war for "ten snows," (years,) or until the white men quit coming there, and that they had grass seed and other provender laid in for that time.

CLERK APPOINTED TO HOUSE COMMITTEE.

The President of the Republican Association in this city was appointed to-day Clerk to the House Committee of Claims.

Mr. BATE hopes to get a favorable action on the petitions asking for a law authorizing the exchange of copper coin at the Mint.

MILITARY CHANGES—GENERAL MILITARY NEWS.

The dispatches received by Quarter-Master General JESSUP this morning, from Lieutenant-Colonel SWORDS, dated May 18, confirms the reports of the breaking out of hostilities on the part of the Shoshones and other Indians in Carson Valley. Col. SWORDS says that on the night of May 7, the inmates of the house at Williams Station, on Carson River, 35 miles from Virginia City, were all murdered. On the following day a party of 105 whites started in pursuit, but on coming up with about 500 Indians, near Pyramid Lake, immediately fled, and were pursued by the Indians. About 25 were killed and others are missing. The result was telegraphed to San Francisco, and two companies, under the command of Capt. STEWART, left for the scene of hostilities. An express was also sent for a company of the First Dragoons, at Fort Crook, to cross to Carson Valley. On the 15th ten men, with two howitzers, under Lieut. GIBSON, left to join Capt. STEWART. The company of the Sixth Infantry, which went from Benicia Barracks to Fort Humboldt, in March last, has been ordered to San Francisco to be in readiness should more troops be called for. The Adjutant-General expects fuller details to-morrow. The War Department has determined to set on foot immediately a military campaign to meet the emergency, Lieut. TERRY, with Mounted Riflemen, will proceed to Fort Craig and relieve Brevet-Capt. HATCH, now in command of the detachment at that post. The latter will proceed to Albuquerque and relieve Lieut. WOOD, of the Third Infantry, in the duties of the Depôt Commissary. Detachment Company H of the Third Infantry will leave Albuquerque and join their proper station at Fort Marcy without delay. Companies D and H, Third Infantry, have left New-Mexico for Texas, Col. BONNEVILLE in command; also Companies F D and K, Major SIBLEY in command. Lieut. WILKINS, of the Third Infantry; Lieut. COGSWELL, of the Eighth Infantry, and Lieut. JONES, of the Mounted Riflemen, have been detailed for the recruiting service. Lieut. JACKSON, of the Third Infantry, will proceed to join his station at Fort Union. Six months leave of absence is granted to Lieut. SAWTELLE, of the Sixth Infantry. Q.

From the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 6.

The apportionment under the census now being taken will be reported at the next session of Congress, in order to afford ample time to the Legislatures which meet only biennially, as well as others, to district their several States. The new apportionment will not go into effect until the Thirty-eighth Congress, the term of which commences the 4th of March, 1863.

The Postmaster-General, in a communication to the House to-day, says the true explanation of the ignorance of the Department of the existence and progress of the fraud of Mr. FOWLER, late Postmaster at New-York, must be sought in the failure of Dr. TATE, Sixth Auditor, to report the constantly-recurring delinquencies to the Postmaster-General.

Mr. TATE, in reply to the Postmaster-General's request for an explanation, maintains that his official course has been in strict conformity with law and long-established usage and practice, and further declares that he is not conscious of having neglected the faithful performance. He says it was the duty of Mr. ZAVELAY, Third Assistant Postmaster-General, who is the head of the Finance office, to make the discovery, but ZAVELAY replies: "No examination has been made since the reorganization of the Department in 1836, with a view to fix the accountability of Postmasters, that duty being clearly and exclusively devolved on the Sixth Auditor." The Postmaster-General coincides with this exposition of duty, saying the Third Assistant "might conjecture a defalcation, but could not know it with certainty."

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 6.

Mr. LATHAM, of California, (Dem.,) presented the petitions of merchants from Philadelphia and Boston for an overland mail. Laid on the table.

Mr. BAYARD, of Delaware, (Dem.,) from the Judiciary Committee, reported a bill to regulate the mileage of members of Congress.

Mr. CAMERON, of Pennsylvania, (Rep.,) presented a petition from the citizens of Pittsburgh in favor of a change in the tariff.

Mr. CRITTENDEN, of Kentucky, (Amer.,) moved to take up the Houmas Land bill. Carried by 27 to 23.

Mr. BAYARD resumed his remarks in opposition to the bill.

Mr. WIGFALL, of Texas, (Dem.,) followed in opposition to the bill.

Mr. CRITTENDEN advocated it.

Messrs. BRAGG, of North Carolina, (Dem.,) MASON, of Virginia, (Dem.,) FESSENDEN, of Maine, (Rep.,) and others, discussed the measure.

The second section, compelling the suit to be brought within five years, was stricken out.

An amendment by Mr. TOOMBS, that Congress refuse to confirm the grants under this Houmas claim, was adopted.

The bill was read a third time and passed.

The Army Appropriation will was taken up. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 6.

The House, after a brief discussion, tabled the Senate bill providing for the settlement of private land claims in Florida, Arkansas, Louisiana and Missouri.

On motion of Mr. SHERMAN, of Ohio, (Rep.,) the House postponed till the 2d Tuesday of December next Mr. FENTON'S bill for the relief of the officers and soldiers of the Revolutionary Army, and the widows and children of those who died in the service.

Mr. RUST, of Arkansas, (Dem.,) called up the joint resolution giving the assent of Congress to such acts as the Legislatures of Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas have or may pass for the removal of the Red River raft, by levying tolls on the boats which may navigate said river to defray the expense.

The resolution was passed—84 against 77.

The House resumed the consideration of the Missouri Contested Election case. Nearly an hour was consumed in a lively debate as to the order in which Mr. BLAIR, contestant, and Mr. BARRETT, sitting member, respectively, shall consume the two hours yesterday accorded to each on this subject.

Mr. ADRAIN, of New-Jersey, (Anti-Lecompton Dem.,) thought the debate would not change any man's mind, believing that the House is as well prepared to vote now as at any future time.

JOHN COCHRANE, of New-York, (Dem.,) said that as they were not women it was not important who should have the last word. [Laughter.]

Finally, Mr. BLAIR proceeded to advocate his claims to a seat, on the ground of fraudulent votes counted for Mr. BARRETT, corruption and illegal conduct on the part of certain officers and judges, and corruption and bribery, in which the sitting member personally participated.

Mr. BARRETT, of Missouri, (Dem.,) in the course of his reply, said that Mr. BLAIR had spent an hour in making sweeping declarations, many of which were wholly untrue, and made for the purpose of deceiving the House. The thousand pages of manufactured testimony presented no case at all. It was a mere mass of stuff, the proper title of which ought to be "Blair's Lame Excuse and Apology for Unexpected Defeat."

Mr. BLAIR replied, justifying his charge of fraud, and saying it was hard to tell to which wing of the Democracy Mr. BARRETT belonged.

Mr. BARRETT wanted to know whether Mr. BLAIR was in favor of Mr. BATES or Mr. SEWARD for the Presidency.

Mr. BLAIR replied, Mr. BATES decidedly, but that gentleman failing to receive the nomination at Chicago, he was in favor of ABE LINCOLN.

Without disposing of the question, the House at 6¼ o'clock, went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union for the purpose of general debate,

Mr. MORRILL, of Vermont, (Rep.,) began a speech against "Modern Democracy," when

Mr. CRAIGE, of North Carolina, (Dem.,) interrupting him, raised a point of order, that no business could be done or speeches made, there being no quorum present.

Cries from the Republican side, "Too late."

Mr. CRAIGE said he knew his rights, and would not be put down in that style.

The Chairman overruled the point.

Mr. CRAIGE appealed from the decision.

No quorum voted, and the roll was called to note the absentees.

Mr. SHERMAN, of Ohio, (Rep.,) made an appeal to let the gentlemen proceed with their speeches.

Mr. WHITELEY, of Delaware, (Dem.,) would stay here for legitimate business, but not for the mere delivery of political essays.

Mr. NELSON, of Tennessee, (Am.,) suggested that Mr. MORRILL be permitted to print his speech.

After further consideration, a motion to adjourn was negatived.

Mr. HUGHES, of Maryland, (Dem.,) urged the necessity of remaining here till a later hour daily than heretofore, as he understood it was likely the Senate would concur in the House resolution to adjourn on the 18th.

Mr. CRAIGE did not wish to obstruct the public business, but if gentlemen want to deliver lectures let them go to the Smithsonian Institute.

Mr. HUGHES moved a call of the House.

Mr. BARKSDALE, of Mississippi, (Dem.,) said since he had been here, such calls had been nothing but farces.

Cries of "Order" from the Republican side.

Mr. COLFAX, of Indiana, (Rep.,) called attention to the fact that ever since Mr. MORRILL was interrupted an hour and a half ago, debate had been indulged in by unanimous consent.

Mr. CRAIGE denied this, saying that various objections had been made.

Several motions to adjourn were voted down.

At 8 o'clock there was a call of the House. No quorum answered.

Mr. MORRILL said that his speech would appear in the *Globe*.

Mr. SHERMAN asked, but failed to obtain unanimous consent, that after to-day it shall be in order to take a recess from 4 till 7 o'clock.

The absentees were called and excuses for them heard, some of an amusing character, others on account of sickness of members or their families.

Mr. HUGHES suggested that a surgeon might be appointed to attend to the sick. [Laughter.]

On motion of Mr. BOULIGNY, of Louisiana, (Dem.,) an order was directed to be issued to the Sergeant-at-Arms for the arrest of those absentees, for whom sufficient excuses had not been ordered.

Mr. SICKLES, of New-York, (Dem.,) ineffectually moved that all further proceedings in the call should be dispensed with.

Mr. VERREE, of Pennsylvania, (Rep.,) asked for unanimous consent that Mr. MORRILL should have leave to make his speech.

Mr. CRAIGE objected.

Mr. BOULIGNY moved to take up the Post-office Appropriation bill.

Mr. FLORENCE, of Pennsylvania, (Dem.,) raised the point, that while the Sergeant-at-Arms had gone out to take up members, it was out of order for the House to take up anything else. [Laughter.]

Mr. HUGHES believed that the House, under all the circumstances, ought to remain here certainly at a later hour than this. They ought not to call the yeas and nays capriciously, and object to the claims which came before them from widows, orphans and old soldiers who are limping on crutches.

Mr. BARKSDALE, of Mississippi, (Dem.,) thought that this miserable farce ought to be brought to a close, and made a motion accordingly, but without success.

Mr. BURNETT, of Kentucky, (Dem.,) said he had never seen such calls gone through with.

Mr. BOULIGNY—It will be this time. [Laughter.]

Mr. BURNETT—We cannot get through for a week.

Mr. BOULIGNY—I don't care if it takes six weeks. [Laughter.]

During an incidental debate Mr. SPINNER, of New-York, (Rep.,) said that the practice had been, where men are excused the fees to the Sergeant-at-Arms have been paid by the Government.

Mr. CRAWFORD, of Georgia, (Dem.,) thought that this amusement ought not to be charged to the Public Treasury.

The appearance of Mr. JUNKIN, of Pennsylvania, (Rep.,) before the Bar of the House, occasioned a debate as to whether he was under legal arrest for having absented himself.

Mr. BARKSDALE hoped he would not be fined, and thought it would be for the interest of the country if two or three dozen other Republicans would absent themselves. [Laughter.]

The Sergeant-at-Arms brought in his prisoners from time to time, who were excused or fined, according to circumstances.

At 10 o'clock a quorum was ascertained to be in attendance.

Mr. BARKSDALE appealed to the candor of gentlemen whether, if they submit to such useless proceedings longer, they will not disqualify themselves for business to-morrow.

The motion to suspend further proceedings was negatived.

Mr. REAGAN, of Texas, (Dem.,) said this scene was a shame to the House and the country, and for this he was called to order.

Mr. BOULIGNY—If members are not here, fine, and if necessary, imprison them. (Laughter.)

At 10½ o'clock all further proceedings under the call were suspended.

Mr. SHERMAN moved that the House go into Committee on the state of the Union. Agreed.

Mr. MORRILL resumed the floor after this four hours' intermission, and it was understood that he had power to print his speech in the *Globe*.

OUTRAGES BY THE INDIANS IN ARIZONA TERRITORY.—The correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican*, writes from Mesilla, A. T., under date of May 22, as follows:

"An express, just in from the Rio Mimbres, reports that a pack train of twenty-four mules, heavily loaded with 'panocha,' or Mexican sugar, from Sonora, was attacked by the Apaches, near the Hanover Copper Mines, worked by Messrs. HINKLE & THIBAULT, on the morning of the 20th—five persons killed and the whole train captured. The same Indians have also succeeded in stealing all the mules from Ewell Station, Overland Mail Company, as well as from Dragoon Springs Station. Information was conveyed to the station-keeper of the Apache Pass Station by a friendly Indian, that it was the intention of the Indians to 'clean out' that station. A party of six Apaches came into the little town of 'La Picateho,' five miles from this place, upon the Overland Mail route, last night, and succeeded in stealing several horses and mules, in all some sixteen head. A party of twenty-five persons started on the 19th, to the assistance of the families residing on the Rio Mimbres. A much larger force would have gone, but it is utterly impossible to obtain horses, as the Apaches have completely *cleaned* our rancheros of this stock. Our whole country is alive with Indians. Outrage upon outrage is committed with perfect impunity, and at a time when our citizens cannot get stock to follow the rascals, and besides are busily engaged in planting. Fort Fillmore is garrisoned, I am informed, by *ten sick men*—not a horse for service in the post. Application was made for rations for the volunteers who have gone out, to Lieut. WHISTLER, commanding officer, *which was refused*. The nearest post in the Territory is some two hundred and fifty miles distant, and Fort Fillmore, our only refuge, is ordered to be broken up. This state of things will, in a short time, completely break up our settlements here."

THE AUBURN PRISON.—The report of the earnings of this Prison for May shows an increase over every previous month except one. The statement is as follows:

Contract earnings	$7,780 73
Miscellaneous earnings	277 73
Total earnings	$8,067 46
Expenses for ordinary support	5,846 83
Earnings over ordinary support	$2,220 63

Agent KIRKPATRICK is so far recovered from his recent severe illness as to be able to resume his ordinary duties.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

TWO DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE PRINCE ALBERT.

ENTRANCE OF GARIBALDI INTO PALERMO.

The Emperor of Russia to Visit Paris.

The English Reform Bill to be Abandoned.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Wednesday, June 6.

The steamship *Prince Albert* arrived at the Bay of Briton at 5 o'clock on the morning of the 5th inst. She brings Galway dates of the 23d of May, and Liverpool dates, by telegraph, of the 25th of May.

The Sicilian accounts are conflicting.

GARIBALDI had entered Palermo and assumed the dictatorship.

Sicilian official dispatches claim a victory over GARIBALDI.

The proceedings in the House of Commons indicate that the Government will be unable to carry the Reform bill through this season, and that they will virtually determine to abandon it.

The result of the great Derby race was sent in the telegraph news by the last steamer. *Umpire* ran forward throughout the race, but came in at the end the sixth horse, being long distanced by the winner, *Thormanby*.

ALBERT SMITH died suddenly, of bronchitis.

It was rumored that the Emperor of Russia contemplated visiting Paris.

It was rumored, also, that the *Moniteur* was about to publish a speech by the French Ambassador to the Sultan of Turkey, of an alarming nature.

Affairs at Boston.

DR. HAYS' ARCTIC EXPEDITION—WEYMOUTH POISONING CASE—UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

BOSTON, Wednesday, June 6.

The schooner *Spring Hill*, one hundred tons burden, at this port, has been purchased for the Arctic Expedition of Dr. HAYES, and will be fitted out forthwith. The necessary funds have been subscribed in Philadelphia, New-York and Boston.

The coroner's jury at South Weymouth have returned a verdict that MARY TIRRELL was poisoned by corrosive sublimate, administered by some person unknown.

AMOS A. LAWRENCE has been chosen President of the Union Steamship Company. This Company are establishing a new line of steamships between New-York and Boston.

Douglas Meeting at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Wednesday, June 6.

An immense Democratic mass meeting was held in this city last evening, at which resolutions were adopted unanimously in favor of Senator DOUGLAS, and denunciatory of Senator BIGLER and other Democrats of a like stripe. During the evening Gov. TODD, of Ohio, gave an account of the proceedings at the Charleston Convention, and Gen. STOKES, of Western Maryland, made a furious onslaught upon President BUCHANAN, disdaining to accept BIGLER as an antagonist. Col. M. COOK, of Ohio, and Messrs. GIBSON and LINN, of this State, severally spoke in a similar strain. The enthusiasm of the masses and the applause manifested at each repetition of the name of Mr. DOUGLAS was at times overpowering.

Wreck of the Steamer Arctic.

PORT SARNIA, C. W., Wednesday, June 6.

The steamer *Arctic*, of the Cleveland, Detroit and Lake Superior line, was wrecked during a fog on the night of the 29th ult., on Huron Island, in Lake Superior. The crew and passengers were saved.

The Case of Rev. J. S. Harden.

TRENTON, Tuesday, June 6.

The application for a writ of error in the case of Rev. J. S. HARDEN, which was set down for this morning, will not be made before to-morrow, when the matter will come before Chancellor GREEN, in this city.

New-Hampshire Legislature.

ORGANIZATION—REPUBLICAN OFFICERS CHOSEN.

CONCORD, N. H., Wednesday, June 6.

The House organized to-day by the election of the Republican nominees made in caucus last night.

Resolutions were adopted in the House authorizing the appointment of a Committee to consider what legislation is necessary to prevent the spread of the cattle disease.

Markets by Telegraph.

OSWEGO, Wednesday, June 6—6 P. M.

FLOUR unchanged, with good demand for home, interior and Eastern trade. Sales 800 bales at $5 25 for Extra State; $6@$6 37½ for Extra Canadian, and $6 75@$7 for favorite Double Extra city brands. WHEAT held at yesterday's quotations, with light stocks on the market, but millers generally not very anxious to operate. Sales, 1,800 bush. White Canadian at $1 45, and 5,300 bush. Canada Club at $1 18. CORN in light supply and market quiet. Sales 1,700 bush. Indiana at 56½c. OATS, BARLEY, RYE and PEAS nominally unchanged. Canal Freights dull at 26c. on Flour, 7c. on Wheat, 6½c. on Corn to New-York. *Lake Imports*—4,950 bbls. Flour; 12,500 bush. Corn. *Canal Exports*—2,600 bbls. Flour; 10,000 bush. Wheat; 16,500 bush. Corn; 4,800 bush. Rye; 1,900 bush. Oats.

BUFFALO, Wednesday, June 6—6 P. M.

FLOUR quiet and easier, but without quotable change; sales 700 bbls., at $5 12½@$5 25 for extra State; $5 25@$5 50 for extra Illinois and Wisconsin; $5 62½ for extra Michigan; $5 62½@$5 75 for extra Ohio and Indiana; $6@$6 75 for double extras. WHEAT dull—no sales. CORN in fair demand, at a decline of ½c. from yesterday's prices; sales 54,000 bushels, at 50c.@51c. for Toledo; 52c.@52½c. for Illinois. OATS steady at 35c. WHISKY in good demand and steady; sales 250 bbls. at 20c. CANAL FREIGHTS—Boats scarce, and rates advanced to 40c. on Flour, 11½c. on Wheat, 10½c. on Corn to New-York. *Lake Imports*—4,000 bbls. Flour, 41,000 bushels Wheat, 53,000 bushels Corn, 10,000 bushels Oats. *Canal Exports*—2,000 bbls. Flour, 38,000 bushels Wheat, 82,000 bushels Corn, 11,000 bushels Oats.

ALBANY, Wednesday, June 6—6 P. M.

FLOUR in fair demand and firm, at $5@$5 40 for Common to Extra State; $5 25@$5 75 for Common to good Western; $6@$7 25 for Extra Ohio and Canadian; $6 50@$7 50 for Extra Kentucky and Genesee. WHEAT offering freely, but market quiet and no sales. OATS in good demand; sales 19,000 bushels Canada East, at 39c.; 6,600 bushels State, at 41½c.; 12,000 bushels Canada West, on private terms. CORN in light demand; sales 17,000 bushels Western Mixed, at 62½c., afloat. WHISKY brisk; sales 400 bbls. at 21½c. WOOL—There was a sale of 300 lbs. heavy unwashed fleece, at 25c.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, June 6.

FLOUR firm; sales 1,000 bbls., at unchanged prices. WHEAT advanced 2c.; sales 6,000 bushels; Red, $1 33@$1 42; White, $1 45@$1 55. CORN firm; sales 6,000 bushels Yellow, at 69c. PROVISIONS firm. MESS PORK, $18 75. Hams, 11¾c.; Sides, 10¾c. WHISKY steady, at 21c.@21½c.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, June 6.

FLOUR firm and quiet, Howard-street $5 75. WHEAT firm; Red, $1 35@$1 40; White, $1 55@$1 65. CORN, a shade better; Yellow, 70c @72c.; White, 73c.@76c. PROVISIONS higher. WHISKY at 21c.

Philadelphia Stock Board.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, June 6.

Stocks steady. Pennsylvania State Fives, 96; Reading Railroad, 20¾; Morris Canal, 55¾; Long Island Railroad, 12½; Pennsylvania Railroad, 38½. Sight Exchange on New-York at par.

THE CAPTURED AFRICANS.—The Washington *Intelligencer* states that the Navy Department has received official accounts of the recent capture on the coast. The writer of one of these accounts, after relating the manner of running the vessels down, and the various subterfuges attempted by the slavers to escape, says:

"The *Wildfire* is a new vessel and very handsome. The *William* is ten or twelve years old, very fast and roomy. She could carry comfortably five hundred negroes back to Africa. The negroes are dying so fast now that there will not be more than seven or eight hundred to send back out of all that have been captured." He further says: "There are but two signs that I can discover or hear of by which a vessel can be known without boarding her: First, the slave galley, and this may be neatly covered, but not entirely hid; second, all slavers slip one anchor and chain as soon as they get their cargo, and consequently have but one anchor on the bow. The captured vessels were all arranged so as to scuttle the ship in case she should be left alone. On examination I found two holes with plugs ready to be taken out."

The Terrible Tornado.

THE TOWNS OF CAMANCHE, IOWA, AND ALBANY, ILL., ENTIRELY DESTROYED—FROM THIRTY TO FIFTY PERSONS KILLED, AND ONE HUNDRED WOUNDED.

From the Lyons City Advocate—Extra.

MONDAY MORNING, June 4, 1860.

It scomes our painful duty to record the most distressing calamity that it has ever fallen to us to witness—the effects of the tornado, and the consequent loss of life and property.

Last evening, about 9 o'clock a man came from Camanche, about nine miles below this city, on the Mississippi, with the heart rending intelligence that the town had been visited by a tornado, and that many of its citizens were buried in its ruins. The alarm spread from house to house, and in a very short time hundreds of our citizens were on their way to the scene of the disaster, both by land and on the steamer *Queen City*, which Capt. BRISTOL immediately put in sailing order.

We were among the first to arrive at the scene of the disaster, and our pen fails entirely to depict the sight that met our view. We found the town, as the messenger had reported, literally blown to pieces, and destruction and death scattered everywhere within the sweep of the devastation. The first pile that met our eye was the ruins of the Millard House, occupied by H. G. SESSIONS, formerly from Erie, Penn. This was a three-story brick hotel, and it could not have been more effectually destroyed had a barrel of gunpowder been exploded within its walls. The inmates were all more or less hurt. Mrs. DAVIS and her child, a little boy four or five years old, were taken out of the ruins dead. Mr. SESSIONS and his son, ANSON, are both very badly hurt inwardly. A younger son has his left arm broken, and several severe cuts about the head and neck. A daughter of Mr. S. was the only one that escaped without serious injuries. One man was taken out with both legs broken, and otherwise hurt. From this we proceeded to look about the town, and we found that hardly a house was left uninjured, and many of them swept entirely away. Every business building in the place is destroyed, including the large brick block recently erected. About 50 feet of this, including the cupola, is demolished, and the remainder is nearly all unroofed. Front-street presents a scene of ruin seldom witnessed; every building on it is either unroofed or entirely destroyed. The dwelling and store of Mr. WALDORF, a three-story brick, is entirely demolished, and the family buried in the ruins. Mrs. WALDORF and one child were taken out dead and two children rescued alive, and, strange to say, unhurt. Mr. WALDORF had not been found when we left, at 2 o'clock, A. M.

Soon after arriving at Camanche, we learned that the town of Albany, on the opposite side of the river, and about one mile above Camanche, had been visited by the tornado, and was about as badly riddled as Camanche. Upon the arrival of the *Queen City* at Camanche, she immediately put back to Albany, to learn the truth of the rumor, and found that scarcely a building in that town was left uninjured; but from what we could learn, the loss of life was not great as at the former place. Those who returned reported 12 killed. Two churches were blown down entirely. We did not visit Albany, and consequently can speak only from report with reference to it. Amid the great confusion that prevailed, it was almost impossible to obtain any correct information. We could not learn the names of those who were killed, but shall gather the full particulars for our regular issue this week. The house of O. MCMAHON, banker, of this city, was entirely demolished, but the family escaped without injury.

The gale commenced about 7 o'clock P. M. Its course was from the southwest to the northeast, and we may hear of further ravages in Illinois. It is rumored at Camanche that the farmers had suffered severely, southwest from there, by having their buildings and fences destroyed, and stock killed. It was also stated that a large raft was passing Camanche at the time, and that every man, numbering apparently about twenty, were swept off into the river.

The condition of the survivors of these two towns is such as demands the warmest sympathy and aid of every one in this community as well as elsewhere. Many of them are left without a house above them, and scarcely a garment to wear. Their dead are to be buried, and their wounded cared for, and it is the duty of every one, so far as is in his power, to minister to their relief, for who can tell how soon we may need like service. We hope that all who possibly can, will go there to-day and assist in attending their wants. Every man who will, can find work there to do, in helping to restore order, and to erect temporary buildings for the hundreds that are destitute of a place wherein to lay their heads. Clothing of all kinds will undoubtedly be required, and many other necessaries for the benefit of those who are badly wounded.

We were glad to see the physicians of Lyons and Clinton all here, and working with a right good will, as well as other citizens of the two places. We hope also that the towns round about us that have escaped the terrible disaster, will at once take active measures to do something toward relieving the distressed of Camanche and Albany. The loss of property in Camanche alone cannot fall short of $250,000 or $300,000—in fact, whatever the town was worth, less the real estate, is gone, and it will be seen at once that aid must come from some source to prevent those that are left alive from suffering.

Liberia and the Slave-Trade.

LETTER FROM MR. GERARD RALSTON TO LORD BROUGHAM.

The following letter, written by Mr. RALSTON to LORD BROUGHAM, has just been published:

LONDON, Friday, May 18, 1860.

MY LORD—When I had the honor of some conversation with your lordship, a few days ago, I promised that I would give the particulars of my efforts to have the "Slave-trade" denounced as piracy in the treaties I was negotiating in behalf of the Republic of Liberia. Since my interview with your lordship, I have signed a treaty of amity, commerce and navigation with the Marquis D'AZEGLIO, the Minister Plenipotentiary of Sardinia, and having settled all the articles, I have arranged to sign a similar treaty with Mr. DE HILLE, the Minister Plenipotentiary of Denmark, on the 21st inst., Monday next. I was lately instructed by the President of Liberia to endeavor to get an article, denouncing the Slave-trade *as piracy*, inserted in all the treaties I might negotiate with foreign Powers, and accordingly I proposed to both these ministers that the article should be in the following words, viz:

"The Slave-trade is piracy, and shall be so treated by the two contracting parties." These gentlemen having referred to their respective Governments, at Turin and Copenhagen, declined sanctioning the phraseology proposed by me, but Sardinia offered a substitute, as follows: "La traite des Noirs est rigoureusement defendue. Les navires des deux Etats, qui se livreraient a cet infame trafic, seront juges et punis, d'apres les lois en vigueur dans leur pays respectifs;" and Denmark presented the following, viz.,

"The Slave trade is prohibited, and declared criminal by the two contracting parties."

Both Sardinia and Denmark have the most stringent and severe laws against the Slave-trade, but neither country was willing to consider it in the light of piracy; and although both these substitutes are very mild, compared with my proposition, I was glad to get them, rather than to obtain no denunciation of this infamous traffic, which, if proscribed and treated by all the maritime Powers of the world as piracy, would be the best means of eradicating this crime against civilization and humanity.

Both the Republics—the United States of America and Liberia—have declared the trade to be piracy, and I wish all the commercial nations of the world would imitate this good example. Although the American flag is most lamentably prostituted to protect Slave-trade, I am happy to say that Liberia, during its existence as an independent State, has manifested the strongest hostility to this accursed trade, and has been eminently successful, by the destruction of barracoons and slave vessels, to destroy it upon its seven hudered miles of coast, where, previously to the foundation of this youthful State, this abominable traffic abounded. Now, the cultivation of sugar, coffee, cotton, &c., and the collection of palm oil, camwood, and other articles of legitimate commerce, have taken the place of the greatest of all evils—Slave-trade. Knowing the kind interest which your lordship takes in our youthful Republic, as well as in all efforts to ameliorate the unhappy condition of the African race, I hope I may be excused for writing so long a letter, and that I may be allowed to subscribe myself, with great respect and consideration, your lordship's most obedient servant, GERARD RALSTON.

To Right Honorable Lord BROUGHAM.

The translation of the French article is as follows:

"The Slave-trade is rigorously prohibited; the vessels of the two States which may be engaged in this infamous traffic shall be judged and punished according to the laws in force in their respective countries."

LATER FROM THE RIO GRANDE.—The *Austin*, arrived at New-Orleans on the 1st, announces that it was stated from Monterey that a million and a half of specie, the product of the Zacatecas mines, which had been seeking shipment by the Rio Grande, had gone on to Tampico, whence it would be shipped at the earliest possible moment. A portion of it would come to New-Orleans, but the greater portion was destined for England, and would probably be taken out by the next steamer for Southampton. Passengers by the diligence, which left Matamoros on the 26th, report having met CORTINA with a body of armed men a short distance from the city. It was feared that he would yet cross the river and commit depredations on the American side.

The mysterious bell-ringing at Providence, R I., still continues. At one house, during the course of the evening, the servant was called to the door sixteen times, to find that no one was there, and that the same invisible cause or agency was at work. The same day, while the family were at the table, distinct and successive raps were heard on the walls of the room where they were assembled. Sundays are the only days that these mysterious noises are not heard.

AFFAIRS IN UTAH.

Sermon by Orson Pratt—His Denunciation of the Anti-Polygamy Bill—Investigation of Dr. Forney's Affairs—Probability of Proving his Peculations—How the Mormons Regard Young Joe Smith's Pretensions—Trifling Depredations by the Indians.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

GREAT SALT LAKE CITY, U. T., Wednesday, May 9, 1860.

On Sunday last I attended Mormon service at the Tabernacle, and heard ORSON PRATT preach, perhaps his sermon, or rather speech, for he did not pretend to take a Scriptural text, and its reception by the audience will furnish as good an index to the Mormon disposition towards our Government as can be found elsewhere. He commenced by rejoicing at the religious liberty enjoyed by the American people; he talked long and eloquently about ours being a land wherein God decreed that all mankind should worship according to the dictates of their own consciences; but that recently certain American Congressmen, moved and seduced by the instigation of the devil, had attempted to overrule the divine decree by introducing a bill in Congress to punish polygamy as a criminal offence, thereby seeking to debar the Mormons from the enjoyment of a religious right. He then argued the unconstitutionality of the measure, and maintained that it came within the meaning of the clause guaranteeing to every man the right to worship God, &c. He denied that it was a crime in the sight of God, but, on the contrary, the holiest men of ancient times had practiced it, and that, too, with the sanction of God himself. He said the bill had already passed the House, and that the President and Congressmen, as well as people in the States, sought to oppress and persecute the Mormons, and therefore it had probably already passed the Senate, and received the sanction of the President, and was now a law of the land. And in view of these facts he asked the Mormons what they should do. He said they might have the constitutionality of the law examined and passed upon by the Supreme Court, but the Judges were as much interested in persecuting them as Congressmen were, and it would have no further effect than to add insult to injury. He said that he knew of nothing that the Mormons could do *but to stand by the Constitution and maintain the rights that their forefathers had secured to them by their life's blood.* He said he spoke as an individual, and *that for himself, rather than to submit to such an unheard of proceeding he would lay his body in the cold grave.* And the audience gave one loud unanimous "Amen." He then went on to say that JOSEPH SMITH had prophesied that the day was not far distant when the "Latter Day Saints" would be the only supporters of the American Constitution; that the laymnites (meaning the Indians) would become an enlightened race, and would unite with them in upholding the Constitution, and that the great mission that the Mormons now have to perform is to elevate and enlighten these Indians, and induce them to become members of their Church; and that everything tends to show that these things will soon come to pass, that the American Union would soon be dissolved, and the North and South would wage against each other a war of extermination, and women and children would be seen flying from city to city, pursued by the relentless mob; there would be no peace or safety in the land. At this fearful picture I saw upon every countenance a deep settled smile of malignity and savage delight, as the traitorous fiends glutted their imaginations upon the blood of my countrymen. The speaker continued, "*You all now think that you would like to see this state of things*, because of your many persecutions, but I say that when the time comes you will be sorry to see it, because let your feelings be ever so bitter, you will then remember that it is the land of your birth, and these are your kindred."

This is sufficient to show the disposition of these people toward our Government, and justifies the statement made on the floor of the House by Capt. HOOPER, the delegate from Utah, that if such a law is passed the Mormons will again rise in rebellion; and also, perhaps, his intimation, that our Government has just *sneaked* out of one difficulty with this formidable people, and another such a one is to be avoided as a contagion is.

The intimation in regard to the Indians simply means that they will form an alliance with the mountain tribes, and will prosecute a kind of guerrilla warfare against the United States, by cutting off all supplies from troops, and murdering all emigrants, and all other persons whomsoever that come within their reach. Whether they can succeed in this is a question not now to be considered, for, whether they can or not, the history of the past teaches us that they can, unaided, murder large numbers of American citizens. No brave man fears to die, but when it comes to violating and then murdering innocent and defenceless women, the heart of every honest man thrills with horror.

Knowing what I do of Mormon atrocity and Mormon vengeance, it requires no great effort of imagination to see in the future hundreds of unoffending and unprotected women and children murdered in cold blood, if this rebellious spirit is not at once crushed out. We well know their disposition, and why tarry for some overt act at the expense of perhaps a thousand human lives?

You will remember that in a former letter I said that if the Polygamy bill became a law, it would require at least two regiments of United States troops actively employed to enforce it; and beside them, the General Government would have to furnish money to maintain the Courts. I think that you will agree with me in saying that recent events have justified this opinion.

The investigation concerning the official transactions of Dr. FORNEY, Superintendent of Indian Affairs, is now going on at this place, under the direction of Gen STANBAUGH and Major MONTGOMERY, Commissioners. I am informed that the probability is strongly in favor of his being proven guilty of all that he is charged with—namely, taking false vouchers, &c. It will be remembered that Dr. FORNEY is one of the few Federal officers who coalesced with the Mormons, and that when the troops lay at Fort Bridger in almost a starving condition, he had a *special weakness* for writing scandalous and scurrilous reports concerning both military and civil brother officers, and for these delectable performances he received the highest encomiums from the Mormon Press; he, even then, had credit for being able to stand fire, but now the public are in a fair way to discover that he can both stand fire and *steel*.

The Utah correspondent of the New-York *Herald*, as I am informed, "pitched into" your correspondent "Richard" a few weeks since in most gallant style. I am obliged to him for it, for considering that he is a Mormon Elder, it was the highest compliment he could pay me. His connection with the *Herald* is an argument of suspicion on both sides, and is, perhaps, as creditable to the one as the other.

RICHARD.

From Another Correspondent.

GREAT SALT LAKE CITY, Friday, May 11, 1860.

The last mail from the East brought intelligence of a new organization of Latterday Saints, or Mormons, at Amboy, Illinois, on the 6th ult.; of the assumption of the headship or Presidency of the organization by young JOE SMITH; and of his reception as such by the Mormons assembled. It also appears that the Mormons of Amboy, with their prophet, the son of the mightier and original prophet, are in deadly opposition to BRIGHAM YOUNG and his adherents, and some of the doctrines and practices they inculcate and follow. And the idea seems to prevail that the claims of young JOSEPH to the prophetship and seership, and I-don't-know-what-other-ship, will be hailed and seconded by many of the Salt Lake Mormons, and that the destruction of BRIGHAM'S influence and the cessation of the peculiar practices of Salt Lake, will be the speedy and final results.

I am not quite so sanguine. I am afraid that such a reckoning was made when the host was absent. I do not think the son of the prophet

POLITICAL.

THE WESTCHESTER REPUBLICANS.

RATIFICATION MEETING AT WHITE PLAINS—RESOLUTIONS—ADDRESSES FROM MESSRS. GREELEY, PORTER AND OTHERS.

The ratification meeting advertised to come off at the Old Court House in White Plains yesterday, owing to some defect in the manner of giving the notice, was not large. Few persons, even in the village, had heard of the meeting. The agents of the New-York publishers of the campaign life of LINCOLN and HAMLIN were on hand, however, and had placarded the whole town with their notices of *The Jolly Flatboatman*, which would be for sale at the meeting; thus, in part, supplying the lack of service on the part of the Committee. At 11 o'clock (the hour appointed for the meeting) only a small number had dropped in, and after consultation an adjournment took place to 2 o'clock P. M. At this hour a meeting, respectable in numbers and character, occupied the Hall, when JAMES A. HAMILTON, the only son of ALEXANDER HAMILTON, called the meeting to order, and introduced Hon. HORACE GREELEY, Mr. GREELEY was cordially greeted on coming forward, and addressed the meeting in a speech of about half an hour. The straggling character of the present meeting was the best proof of the necessity of meeting; he had seen a great many meetings in Westchester, but never a large one—a general turn out; it was the worst place possible to get the people together; it was all circumference and no centre; they had always fought in a straggling, half-organized manner, and never had any notion of the character of the vote they were going to poll until after election. Four years ago they cast eight thousand votes in this County, and by proper effort that number could be considerably increased this Fall. Of that large number of Democratic voters at that election, not one in ten now approves of the manner in which the administration of this Government has been conducted, whether it were the attempt to force SLAVERY upon KANSAS—the wasteful, extravagant and dishonest squandering of the public money—or any other of the many atrocious measures which have distinguished it. On the contrary, many men who then voted for the Democratic Party are dissatisfied with the course affairs have taken, and are ready to cooperate with the Republicans to place the Government on a new track. Mr. HASKIN declared he went to Congress to do all he fairly and honestly could to bring in Kansas as a Free State. He had done worthily and well, because he had done what he promised to do. He could not say as much for Mr. BUCHANAN. He came into power by a large majority of the electoral votes of the Southern States, and little could be expected of him. The South must know his master, and he knew him. JOHN A. DIX, an old resident, and well-known here, went around the country four years ago, saying this master of Kansas was very bad, but Mr. BUCHANAN, when he came into power, would give us a very different state of things. Mr. PIERCE was charged with doing very badly, but we were now to see all these affairs set right. But what had been the sequel? Were we to have another JOHN A. DIX this time? He firmly believed that this County, if fairly organized, would give a handsome Republican majority this Fall. In this large, prosperous and wealthy County, there ought to be found no man to approve of the present profligate Administration. It might become "all these things are settled now," but they were not settled, though, and there was no prospect of having them settled. They do not mean to let Kansas come in as long as they can prevent it; she has seven electoral votes to cast against them. The policy at the White House. There never was a Territory with the same number of population as Kansas, or anything like it, which has applied for admission and has been denied. He knew there were one hundred thousand people there on a cold and wintry day last Fall, when the people were tired out by one election after another, they cast 15,000 votes. Even Oregon, with nothing like the fitness which Kansas has, came into the Union, and she now turns round and votes to keep Kansas out. The Republicans were compelled to sustain themselves against unreasoning and unreasonable prejudices as to what they wish to do. If every man in the country could have the Republican platform placed fairly before him, or pick it up in the street without knowing whether one or another party had made it, he would say, "I do not see what is wrong here," and would be ready to indorse it heartily. Mr. GREELEY urged the importance of a thorough organization of the county, in which every Republican should have some work to do. One vote lost in a school district was twelve thousand votes in the State. In referring to the Chicago nomination, he said he believed they could not have selected two men who would have received so many votes outside of the Republican ranks; so that if they were defeated, it would be on account of their own apathy and coolness. After referring to the demands of the South for protection to slave property in the Territories; to the project of annex inCuba in order to extend the slave power; to the probable acquiescence in these demands by the Baltimore Convention, and to the position of Mr. DOUGLAS, Mr. GREELEY closed his remarks.

Mr. GEO. A. COOKE, of the Rocky Mountain Glee Club, was called on, and gave a song—"Cheer boys, cheer!"—which was well received.

EDMUND J. PORTER, Esq., then addressed the meeting, and read the platform of principles adopted at Chicago, expounding and enforcing their doctrines as "the only ones that could save the country, and preserve to us this beautiful heritage left us by our Fathers." The meeting, after applause for the speakers, the candidates and the platform, then adjourned.

THE SECEDERS SUSTAINED.

MEETING AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE—LETTERS FROM SECRETARY THOMPSON AND HON. W. L. YANCEY.

On the evening of Wednesday, the 23d ult., a meeting was held at Memphis, Tenn., to sustain those who seceded from the Charleston Convention. Letters were read from Hon. JACOB THOMPSON, Secretary of the Interior, and Hon. W. L. YANCEY.

LETTER OF HON. JACOB THOMPSON.

Secretary THOMPSON's letter is dated at Washington, May 5. He declares it as his opinion that the delegates who seceded at Charleston acted wisely, and that as soon as the Democratic Party ceases to be the party of the Constitution and the Union it should be dissolved. Mr. THOMPSON claims that the principles for which the seceders separated from their friends has been distinctly laid down and approved by the Supreme Court, and that it is maintained and advocated, with but few exceptions, by the entire body of Democratic Representatives in Congress: That it was not adopted by the Convention was due to the "illegal and unjust device by which some of the States were required to vote as a unit." Mr. THOMPSON regrets that the whole South did not secede together. He thinks that those who did leave might have remained had Mr. HOWARD's resolution been adopted, and if it should not be adopted at Charleston he thinks Tennessee, Virginia, and Kentucky dishonored if they did not join the seceding delegates. He then proceeds as follows:

"The course most advisable, in my judgment, for your meeting to pursue, is this: *Approve the Cincinnati platform*, as it has been interpreted by the President of the United States, in his inaugural address, and in his several messages; as it has been confirmed by the Supreme Court; as it has been expounded in the late resolutions of the Senate; and as it was recommended to the Charleston Convention by every certain Democratic State; express sympathy in the movement of those who, at Charleston, showed a readiness to sacrifice their party affinities, and, if need be, themselves, in defence of a great truth, and encourage them not to despair of a sound national organization, but to return to Baltimore; avow your entire confidence in the Tennessee delegation, and urge it and sustain them in the advocacy of the right, and thus, if possible, *secure the union of the South, and the integrity of the Democratic Party*. With a proper spirit of forbearance, and patriotic devotion to principle, a platform may be obtained on which all Democrats may stand, and candidates will be selected who will command the cordial support of the lovers of constitutional liberty in every part of the Union.

"If, however, blind devotion to the fortunes of a favorite, or fear to join the general issue with the Black Republican Party of the North, shall rule the hour, the day is lost before the battle is begun, and thick gloom will shroud the hopes of the patriot. But, on the other hand, if we re-unite with a hearty good will, defeat is impossible. The family jar will be succeeded by increased love and devotion, and the confident expectations of the enemies of Democracy, based on our internal dissensions, will eventuate in sickening disappointment."

Mr. THOMPSON declares his devotion to the Constitution and the Democratic Party, and asserts that the statement that in agreeing to non intervention with Slavery in the States, the Territories, or the District of Columbia, the South agreed to surrender any of the rights guaranteed by the Constitution, is too absurd to need refutation. He says:

"The precise point in controversy is this: Have you the right, under the ægis of the Constitution, to remove to a Territory with your slaves, and there enjoy your unmolested, unimpaired right of property? The Republicans deny this right. They assert that Slavery exists only by virtue of local law; and that, as soon as you pass the boundary of the local municipal jurisdiction, and enter a common Territory with your slave, he becomes free, because, as they contend, the Constitution of the United States does not recognise property in slaves. The Democracy, on the other hand, deny the power in Congress to establish or prohibit Slavery in the Territories. It was agreed, on all hands, that when the people of a Territory met in Convention to form a Constitution, preparatory to admission into the Union, they had the indefeasible right to adopt or reject Slavery, and to claim admission under their Constitution, as framed. But a difference existed whether the Constitution *proprio vigore*, recognized and protected the right of property in slaves in the Territory. This question was left to be settled by the Supreme Court, to whose decision all Democrats agreed, in good faith, to submit. Until this decision was rendered, the Democratic Party could not have interfered with propriety."

Secretary THOMPSON then quotes the decision of the Supreme Court upon this point, and concludes as follows:

Good faith now requires the Democratic Party unhesitatingly to march up to this authoritative exposition of the Constitution. A triumph over the Republicans without this avowal is an unmeaning victory. The agitation of this question of Slavery will never cease till this end is attained; and I am firmly persuaded that the Democratic Party of the North will be stronger with the people with this sound, conservative, manly avowal, than they would be by shuffling and skulking from the issue.

With the earnest hope that your deliberations will strengthen the hands of faithful Democrats, conduce to harmony and the securement of a truly National Platform, and National candidates as the standard bearers in the coming Presidential contest, I am, with high respect, your obedient servant,

J. THOMPSON.

LETTER FROM HON. W. L. YANCEY.

Mr. YANCEY writes to the same meeting, under date of Montgomery, Alabama, May 26. He alludes to the action of the Charleston Convention, and alleges that, so far as it could do so, it has committed the Democracy to the support of the doctrine of squatter sovereignty, and further by the denial of the right of a southern citizen to protection of his property in the territories, even "when necessary." He claims that the Democracy is not responsible for this action, since a minority representing States all opposed to the Democratic organization has succeeded under the name of Democracy in defeating the real will of the party. Mr. YANCEY then compares the votes cast at the late Convention, with the politics of the different States, and says:

"This suffices to illustrate the injustice and absurdity of the fact that sixteen Black Republican States have voted down in a Democratic Convention, supposed to represent the voice of the party, seventeen Democratic States! The great principle of Democracy—the equality of States and of persons—though voted for by every Democratic State, was voted down by representatives from States that cannot cast a single Democratic Electoral vote.

From these premises, it is clear that *the real Democracy did not consummate this outrage at Charleston*, and are therefore not responsible for it; but that it has been perpetrated by those who are in principle a species of bastard Democracy—*representing* Anti-Slavery States, and, like the chameleon, partaking somewhat of the political complexion of those States. In fact, this was indeed fully acknowledged by those gentlemen when they met us in discussion with the assertion (their chief and strong point) that upon our Platform they could not carry one of the States they represented.

From these same premises the conclusion is also drawn, that *the Richmond Convention will be purely Democratic*. Its creed is founded in the Virginia and Kentucky resolutions of 1798 and 1799, and its principles will be represented by Democrats from Democratic States. *It will be freed from all Anti-Slavery elements.*"

Mr. YANCEY asserts that the Baltimore Convention will in its leading idea,—that of Squatter Sovereignty—be as sectional as was the late Republican Convention. He proceeds:

"The enemies of the Richmond Convention also make the charge that it is a disunion movement. Upon what fact connected with the events which gave it birth—or with its call—or upon declaration of those who advised it, their charge is based, it will be difficult for its accusers to state. For myself, I deny the charge. That Convention has been forced upon the Democracy as a necessity by the determined purpose of the Bastard Democracy to override and defeat the legitimate National Democracy, both as to principles and the nominees. The States that retired, refusing to submit to their successful rebellion against all party principle, are as true Democratic States as any in the Union. They advised the holding of a Democratic Convention at Richmond, for the purpose of purifying the great Democratic Party of its Anti-Slavery element, and of rallying at the ballot-box upon a pure Democratic Platform, in favor of sound Democratic nominees—to be chosen from the two great sections.

Unless the friends of the Constitution, who yet remain in the Baltimore Convention, can succeed in reopening the platform question, or can give reasonable assurances that a proposition to reopen that question will be entertained, and unless this move can be consummated by the adoption at Baltimore of a platform not only ignoring Squatter Sovereignty, but guaranteeing to slave property protection by the Government 'when necessary,' I believe it to be the purpose, as it will necessarily be the duty, of the Richmond Convention to make a nomination of the character indicated.

Such a ticket will have reasonable hopes of success in all the Southern States, in California and in Oregon, and perhaps in Pennsylvania. If, however, it shall fail of success at the ballot-box, I believe that it will go into the House of Representatives, the second highest of three tickets, and *in that body the South has far better reasons for success than elsewhere.*

These plans and designs and hopes all show that the friends of the Democratic Convention to be held at Richmond are not disunionists—but are working a strong and hopeful struggle to solve the difficulties surrounding the Government and the Union at the ballot box, and under the forms of law.

How unfair, then, to characterize the action of so many Democratic States by the supposed opinions of any single individual! Yet such is the course of our enemies. I know, then, that I shall be pardoned in attaching to my own sentiments, as from Maine to Texas the Douglas papers, following Mr. DOUGLAS' lead in the Senate, have made my supposed opinions the chief ground for charging disunion designs upon the Richmond Convention. I deny that I am a disunionist *per se*—that is, that my aim is to bring about disunion in the course I have advised and pursued. I deny that this charge can be supported by my letter to Mr. SLAUGHTER, written in 1848. That was a private letter, written hastily, in the midst of professional engagements, and published without my authority by Mr. SLAUGHTER, accompanied by comments disapproving as I construed them, not of any disunion sentiment therein, but of my conservatism.

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W. L. YANCEY.

THE GREAT EASTERN.

Reviving Interest in the Fortunes of the "Big Ship"—Alterations and Improvements in Her Machinery and Decorations—A Speedy Voyage to New-York Anticipated.

Correspondence of the London Morning Post.

SOUTHAMPTON, Friday, May 18, 1860.

The comparative indifference recently displayed by the public to the "big ship," since her arrival here, is likely, as the time for her departure for New-York approaches, soon to give place to something like the interest felt in her fortunes last year. The result of her first trip across the Atlantic and back will be something like a test of the correctness of the calculations of her designers. Satisfactory as her performances have hitherto been, it was not sufficient in amount to give that perfect certainty as to her fitness for ocean navigation which we venture to predict her approaching voyage will realize. Since the announcement of the *Great Eastern's* departure for New-York, on the 9th June next, the interest in her, among the people of Southampton, has largely increased. Steamers leave the town pier at frequent intervals, and within the last three weeks or a month the receipts from the admission-fee charged to visitors have been more than sufficient to defray the whole victualing charges of the ship. The number of passengers is to be limited to 300, and the Directors have decided to take a limited amount of fine goods, on freight, at £3 per ton. Parcels 5s. each, and other merchandise in proportion. The passage out will be £25 for an adult, or £40 including the return voyage, which it is expected will be made after a stay of about six weeks in New-York. All the necessary works connected with the preparations of the ship for sea have been prosecuted with great energy. The requirements insisted on by the Board of Trade, though apparently very large, have not really involved any such alarming expense as was stated some weeks since. The whole expenditure connected with the alteration of the machinery, the cabins, and everything necessary to secure the comfort and convenience of the passengers, and to satisfy the officers of the Board of Trade previous to granting a certificate, will not exceed £15,000. The ladies' cabin, so conspicuous for its magnificent decorations, still remains as on the first trip. The dining saloons are in course of decoration, and that dead, white wall-like appearance which the sides presented is in process of conversion into a beautiful imitation of maple wood. The rivet heads, which mark the junction of the plates, will be painted to imitate the knots of the wood; so that the whole, when completed, will produce a very agreeable effect. One great convenience for the passengers has been provided by cutting through the bulkheads, thus forming a communication between the different dining saloons without the necessity of going upon deck. This alteration does not affect the safety which the ship possesses, in consequence of having been built in water-tight compartments, as the dining saloons are considerably out of water. The bulkheads below the water-line are intact, with the exception of some tunnels cut through the coal bunkers for the convenience of the stokers, but which can be closed at any time by water-tight doors. New store-rooms have been built, and new stanchions supplied for the support of the cargo deck. Boat-davits have been thoroughly overhauled. Additional supports have been made to the coal-bunkers. The iron masts have been fixed in such a way by sufficient wedges as to put a stop to the "play" which was found to exist in them. In the machinery department considerable alterations have been made, more especially in the case of the paddle-engines. Some improvements made by Mr. MCLENNAN in the slide-valves will, he confidently expects, give an increase of 500 horse-power without any additional consumption of fuel, and he hopes to get at least a knot an hour out of these magnificent engines over their previous performance. The nature of this alteration will be best understood when it is stated that the cylinders did not allow the steam to escape with sufficient rapidity, and it thus impeded the next stroke of the piston. The engine suffered, in fact, from what may be termed congestion of the cylinder. The rods of the air-pumps have been much strengthened by the addition of braces. In the screw engine the only alteration of any consequence is the substitution of lignum vitæ bearings for the screw-shaft for those of white metal, which were originally employed. This answer where it is not exposed to the action of salt water, is found to fail in cases when so exposed. With respect to the supply of water to the boilers of the paddle-engines, the public, we are glad to say, will hear nothing more of those never-to-be-sufficiently anatomized donkey-engines, which attracted to themselves so much attention on the previous trips. Their services will be dispensed with in future, and the water supplied to the boilers by a very simple and effective arrangement of what are called injectors, the invention of M. GIFFARD, a French engineer. The action of this apparatus is exceedingly simple. The boilers being below the water-line, a supply of water is obtained in the stoke-hole, by means of a pipe kept constantly filled from the sea. This water is introduced by a stop-cock into the enlargement of a pipe communicating with the boiler to be supplied. From the upper side of this globular enlargement steam is led through a male cone, placed within half an inch of a corresponding female cone on the lower side. Water being introduced above the level of the lower cone, the steam is turned on from the boiler through the male cone, and, rushing with full pressure into the opening, forces the water directly into the boiler. The water thus forced into the boiler is, of course, heated considerably by the condensation of the steam upon its surface. This apparatus has now been at work for some weeks on the auxiliary engines, and has been found to answer admirably.

It is self acting, and, unlike such inventions generally, appears to have nothing about it likely to become deranged. The boilers for the screw engines are fitted with feed pumps, and have never had any occasion for the services of the donkey-engines. Mr. MCLELLAN anticipates that he shall make the run out to New-York at an average rate of over 14 knots; but, as the engines will, in all probability, work somewhat stiffly, the speed then obtained must not be regarded as the maximum which may be got when everything is in good running order. The run home, he thinks, he can make in considerably less time, and seems content to rest the merits of the noble ship on her performance in recrossing the Atlantic. It must be borne in mind in estimating the forthcoming voyage of the *Great Eastern* that, if she makes an average speed of even 14 knots an hour, she will surpass anything yet accomplished by the *Persia*, or by any other ocean steamer afloat. The outside of the ship has been repainted, and a more lively appearance given to her by a white ribbon being painted round the sides as a sort of relief to the vast black area which the upper part of her hull before presented to the eye. A number of men are employed in scraping off barnacles, her bottom having become somewhat foul since her arrival in Southampton water. When ready for sea the ship will not draw more than 26 feet, and will therefore pass the bar at Sandy Hook without any difficulty. Mr. BOLD, the general manager, is exercising an active supervision over the whole of the details of preparation, and the new commander, Capt. J. VINE HALL, appears, from his intimate knowledge of steam and his great experience in the command of steam-vessels, to be in every way fitted for the position which he holds.

An Exemplary Clergyman.

EXPLOITS OF REV. GEORGE NUGENT MONRO—HE ELOPES WITH THE WIFE OF A NEW-YORK LAWYER—THE OFFENDER TO BE EXPELLED FROM THE CHURCH.

From the Philadelphia Press, June 6.

An account of the recent elopement of a New-York preacher with another man's wife has been extensively copied from the Cincinnati press. As the husband has reclaimed his wife and child, and, with them, lately passed through this city, and as the parties are extensively known, we have taken particular pains to ascertain the facts of the case, and a history of the elopement. We are personally acquainted with the husband and wife, and met the reverend Lothario in New-York more than once. The husband is a promising young member of the bar of New-York, known somewhat in *Belle-lettres*, and most respectably connected there, as also is his wife. He was *formerly* (not *now*, as the papers represent) connected with the District Attorney's office, under Hon. JOHN MCKEON, of New York. They are both young, and were married in April, 1857. The result of the union is a bright, intelligent little girl, now two years old. About two years ago they were residing on Twentieth street, New York, opposite the General Theological Seminary, where this MONRO was then a student of theology. He there made the acquaintance of the lady by seeing her at her window from his own, and, by writing flattering and anonymous letters to her from time to time, finally obtained an introduction to her, and was soon after formally introduced to the husband.

MONRO being a man of some intellect, occupying a respectable position in society, and looked upon as a man of morality, the husband deemed the cultivation of his acquaintance quite desirable. An intimacy began and continued between them until this unfortunate affair. MONRO enjoyed the husband's perfect confidence and hospitality, being at all times welcome as a guest and friend, even to the extent of standing as sponsor to the infant when it was baptized. About this time one of those occasional incidents in young married life, incompatibility, sprang up between the young couple, and the wife, looking upon MONRO as one capable of advising and consoling her in her domestic affliction, made him her confidant. How that confidence was used for his own purposes the sequel has shown. MONRO graduated in June, 1859, and went to Lake Providence, La., to teach school and act as an assistant in that parish; and it now appears that he invited a correspondence with the lady, which was maintained up to the time she left New-York. Occasionally his letters were shown to the husband as models of piety and morality. Several friends of the husband had hinted, while MONRO was in town, that his intimacy was not proper; but the husband, having the most implicit confidence in his wife, indignantly repelled any allusion to the subject. About the first of last April MONRO came unexpectedly to New-York and remained there two days, not visiting, as is usual for the graduates of the Seminary, his old professors and friends, and then mysteriously disappeared, representing that he was disgusted with the South, and was going somewhere North. On the 10th of May the lady told her husband that as their child had been ill she thought she would go to the country with it for a few weeks, to which the husband cheerfully acquiesced. She took the 7 o'clock A. M. New-Haven train for Norwalk, Conn., for which place her husband purchased her ticket and checked her trunk, as she said she could make up her mind on her way, whether she would take a branch road at Norwalk for Danbury, where her brother lives, or continue on to Boston. This proposition the husband considered perfectly rational, and they then parted in the most affectionate manner. The 14th came, and the husband, not hearing from his wife, though he had written to her, immediately telegraphed to Boston and Danbury, and answers came back that his wife and baby had not been seen. This, in connection with some trifling circumstances, which soon amounted to stubborn facts, gave rise to horrible suspicions, among them, that she had proceed no further than Norwalk, and had returned by the 3:25 P. M. train to New-York, and taken the 5 P. M train on the same afternoon to Albany. A consultation was had and telegrams sent to all parts of the country, and to Halifax, to stop the steamer, in case the parties had sailed for Europe. Nothing, however, was heard of them until the 23d, when a telegram was received by the husband stating that the parties had been recognized on Sunday, the 20th May, at Cincinnati. The husband immediately telegraphed to a friend in that city connected with the Press, and the message was placed by him in the hands of Detective J. L. RUFFIN, who soon decoyed the reverend seducer by a letter to the Post-office, and after tracking him to a house on Fourth street, arrested and locked him up. The lady, with her child, was immediately conducted, by the husband's friends, to one of the principal hotels, where she was kept until her husband arrived. The scene that ensued between them can better be imagined than described—the husband, on his part, almost frantic, the heart-broken and repentant wife almost overwhelmed by grief.

The friends of the husband, anticipating a tragical conclusion to the affair, took every precaution, and have succeeded in preventing it. The reverend prisoner, MONRO, was kept in close confinement, and the husband was not permitted to see him until he was brought into Court, where a charge was made against him by the detective and the husband's friends, and he was immediately remanded to prison in default of giving $500 bail. The husband's friends, in consideration of the wife's lamentable condition, and for the little child's sake, demanded that he should rescue her from her terrible fate and take her back to New-York, and, probably from the best and most humane impulsive and motives, they were hurried from Cincinnati the same night for New-York. What will be the termination of this sad affair it is difficult to predict. We trust for the best.

The husband and wife have a large circle of warm friends in New-York, and their influence and advice will, in all probability, produce some wholesome result. That the wife has been basely betrayed by this clerical scoundrel, and her weakness taken advantage of, there can be no doubt. To every man who should have reconciled their difficulty, being a minister of the Gospel, (if no other motive should have dictated it) has used those very difficulties for his own dishonorable purposes, and invaded the most sacred rights of civilized society. He has used "the livery of the Court of Heaven to serve the devil in." Verily, the way of the transgressor will be hard.

There is nothing known of this man, except that he comes from England, and represents himself as the nephew of Sir GEORGE NUGENT, He taught school in Wales, and came to this country without friends or means; was located, at one time, at Cohoes, near Albany, and then at West Point, as school teacher. The seminary at which he graduated has already repudiated him; and we are informed that Rev. Bishop POTTER, of the New-York Diocese, has taken the matter in hand, and when the evidence against MONRO is received from Cincinnati, will immediately take steps to expel him from the Church and the Ministry.

THE SLAVER WILDFIRE.—The bark *Wildfire*, recently captured while on the voyage from Africa to Cuba, with a cargo of slaves on board, and taken into Key West, it is currently rumored was owned and fitted out by a mercantile house in Boston. She had nearly completed her voyage when taken, and out for this mishap to the calculations of her owner, the proceeds of the cargo would have netted over $200,000.—*Boston Traveller, June 5.*

Under the influence of the steam and horse car, says the Boston *Traveller*, towns in the vicinity of Boston are increasing in population at a rapid rate. The town of Newton, the largest in Middlesex County, has now in the neighborhood of eight thousand inhabitants, while Brookline, Brighton and other towns are making a rapid advance. Often an afternoon train of the Boston and Worcester Railroad is composed of five or six long cars, chiefly filled with Boston business men, whose families live in the country.

Since the depth of the Erie Canal has been increased, many more horses are lost by drowning than there were formerly. During the present season, Capt. MYERS, a member of the Assembly, who is engaged in the towing business, has lost twenty-seven horses—an average of two a day.

LAW REPORTS.

General Sessions.

A GRAND JURY IMPANNELED—THE RECORDER'S CHARGE ON THE TICKET SWINDLERS.

Yesterday, in this Court, the following gentlemen were impanneled as a Grand Inquest:

HOMER FRANKLIN, Foreman.

David Beach,	Isaac C. Kendall,	Lansing C. Moore,
John S. Martin,	Charles Smithson	David Tappan,
T. S. Van Orden,	Chas. G. Abern.	Chas. DeBinger,
Elias Dexter,	Charles Davis,	A. L. Eastman,
Wm. H. Balght,	Wear D. Parsons,	Jas. M. Raymond,
Benj. D. Brush,	Ed H. Fletcher,	Richard J. Smith,
	Louis Scudder,	John C. Tucker.

Recorder BARNARD, in his charge to the Grand Jury, after touching on the several points required by statute, said, in relation to certain cases which will be brought before that body for action: "I will call your attention to a law recently passed to prevent the sale of fraudulent passage tickets. For a number of years an infamous system has prevailed in New-York, by which emigrants, and others, ignorant of our usages—people from the country, unacquainted with city life, and the various impositions which fester upon it, have been deluded into the purchase of tickets for a distant sea passage, which are ostensibly good for some particular steamer, but for which the price paid, even if the ticket were genuine, was largely in advance of the sum charged by the company, while it too generally happened that the ticket, as regarded the designated steamer, was worthless, and the passenger found that he had paid an enormous price for a passage by some sailing vessel. The Recorder added, very justly, that these defrauding parties were worse than ordinary burglars or thieves, and he promised that in the event of the Grand Jury indicting any of them, if they were brought before him for trial, he would sentence them to the State Prison for the longest possible period.

After the Grand Jury had retired, Thomas Harrison, indicted with John Driscoll and David Tyohan, for grand larceny, was placed on trial. Driscoll and Tyohan pleaded guilty to the same charge last term. The complainant was Mr. Frederic A. Yenni, residing and doing business at No. 319 Hicks-street, Brooklyn. On the 12th April, the above parties broke into his store and stole coal oil and alcohol to the value of $47. They were caught in this City, with the property in their possession. The Jury found Harrison guilty, and the Recorder ordered him a residence, with good exercise, in the State Prison for the term of four years.

Frederic Kohn pleaded guilty of obtaining the sum of $50, under false pretences, from John Sattig, on Dec. 28. Sentenced to one year in the Penitentiary.

Patrick McGree pleaded guilty to an assault on Thomas Dwyer, on April 7. He was remanded for sentence.

Peter Daly was convicted of an assault and battery on Jacob Gross, in an Eighth-avenue car, at the corner of Canal-street and Broadway. The assault arose out of a dispute concerning the ownership of a seat. Fined $5—a dear ride on that avenue.

James F. Hassen, a very young man, was convicted of an assault on Jane Burns, in the house No. 88 White-street, on May 17. The girl's reputation was by means unsullied; the house was of bad character, and the young Hassen had no business there. The jury convicted him of the assault, but recommended him to mercy. Sentenced to 30 days in the City Prison and fined $50—not to emerge from prison till the money is paid.

All About Brandy—The Buyer Sold.

Edward Rowe vs. *William C. Burdick.*—This was an action to recover for a quantity of brandy alleged to have been purchased of plaintiff by defendant, but not paid for. The plaintiff claims that in April, 1858, he sold to the defendant a large quantity of brandy, amounting in all to nearly $3,000 worth, which liquor was delivered, but has not been paid for, although the defendant still has it in his possession. The defence was that the plaintiff requested the defendant to purchase brandy, and showed him a sample, which defendant tasted, and thinks he *tasted*. Supposing that the brandy which he was to take was all like the sample, he took a large quantity of it, but soon found that the bulk of the purchase was not the same as the sample. He refused to retain it, and has since kept it subject to the order of plaintiff, the latter having been notified that the defendant would not take it, and for what reason he refused.

The case now came on for trial before Justice BOSWORTH in the Superior Court, and is still on.

The whole question is, whether or not the brandy is indeed *brandy* or "made liquor." On this point a great number of liquor dealers in this City were called, some for the plaintiff and others for the defendant, those for each party differing wholly with those of the other. Some testified that the brandy was the "pure juice of the grape," and others that it was a chemical composition. One witness for the plaintiff was willing to set down a half dozen for the defence—all of whom were dealers—as no judges of liquor because they did not think the samples in Court genuine.

Counsel for the defence created great amusement in Court by his facetious remarks upon the cross-examination, and by the peculiar character of his interrogatories. He could not understand how gentlemen became such good judges of the article, and consequently asked many singular questions to inform himself. He found out finally that they were originally salesmen of the ardent, and by long practice with the palate had become proficients in nicety of taste. They had "sold and studied—studied and sold."

Nash for plaintiff; Joseph L. White for defendant

Will of Michael Anthony.

This will, which has been before the Surrogate for eight months past, was now admitted to probate. The testator left about $40,000 worth of property, most of which is in real estate. He leaves a widow, but no children. He gives one sister, a widow, the lot known as No. 111 Sullivan-street, with the buildings thereon; to the New-York Catholic Orphan Asylum five hundred dollars; to an uncle two hundred dollars; and to his widow the two houses and lots Nos. 107 and 109 Sullivan-street. The will was contested by a sister who is not named in the will, on the ground of incompetency.

A. W. Bradford and John C. Perry for contestant; Minor & Jaques for Special Guardian; T. Jas. Glover and others for proponent.

Another Verdict Against the City.

Owens vs. *The Mayor, &c.*—The particulars of this case were stated in the TIMES of the 5th inst. The trial was before Judge BRADY in the Common Pleas. It will be remembered that the plaintiff sued to recover damages for injuries received in being thrown from a cart on Second-avenue, near Twenty-first-street, in consequence of what is termed a "Corporation hole." The jury now gave the plaintiff a verdict for $1,500. An allowance of 5 per cent. was made.

Decisions.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

LEONARD, J.—*Cozzens* vs. *Higgins.*—$100 allowance.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

MONCRIEF, J.—*Wainwright* vs. *Nix.*—Judgment for plaintiff with costs.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM.

HILTON, J.—*Carll* vs. *Low & Burgess.*—Referred to D. O'Connor to appoint Receiver, &c.

Court Calendar....THURSDAY.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—Nos. 12 to 21, inclusive.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.—*Part I.*—Same as Wednesday, with Nos. 1295, 1021, 799, 361 added. *Part II.*—Adjourned to Friday, when the Railroad Calendar will be called.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Nos. 45, 46, 47, 50, 51, 53, 55, 56, 58, 4, 10, 23, 66, 68, 71, 72, 73, 74, 76, 15.

SUPERIOR COURT.—*Part I.*—Nos 477, 479, 475, 233, 423, 497, 481, 499 505, 1507, 509, 461, 462, 457, 413, 513, 501, 33, 287, 39, 467, 463. *Part II.*—Unchanged.

COMMON PLEAS.—*Part I.*—Nos. 1873, 2381, 2678, 2041, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2059, 2060, 2062, 1856, 303, 2067, 2028, 2591, 1788, 2064, 2061, 2001, 1730, 2073, 1935, 405, 1785, 1867, 1763, 373. *Part II.*—Nos. 1511, 327, 1906, 295, 325, 42, 1926, 1785, 379, 380, 381, 324, 325, 1893, 1072, 300 1.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....JUNE 6.

$35,000 U. S. 5s, '74	104⅛	50 Erie Railroad	19⅛
1,000 Ohio S. 6s, '60	102⅝	150 do	s30 19⅜
8,000 Tenn. 6s, '90	97⅛	200 do	19⅜
2,000 N. C. State 6s	97½	100 do	19⅜
1,000 California S. 7s	91⅜	500 do	19⅜
2,000 Virginia S. 6s	93½	100 do	b30 19⅜
500 N. Y. C. 7s	104⅜	100 do	b w 19⅝
8,000 E. R. 1st M. B	100	150 do	b60 19⅝
3,000 E. R. 4th M. B	66	200 do	b30 19⅝
1,000 H. R. R. 3d M	91⅜	50 do	s60 19
1,000 M. C. R. 8 ⅌ c.	95	250 do	s30 19
1st M. S. F. C. B.	98⅜	300 do	19⅛
10,000 M. & 2d M. B.	b60 48	100 do	b10 19⅛
1,000 do	47⅜	150 Reading R	41⅜
500 Ill. Cen. R. Bonds	90⅞	50 Mich. Central R	52⅜
5 Bank of Commerce	102½	100 do	s30 52⅜
10 Amer. Ex. Bank	100	50 do	b3 53
10 Del. & H. C. Co.	98	100 do	b60 53⅛
50 do	s60	97	100 Panama R	s60 134
6 Sixth Avenue R	114	50 do	134⅜
50 Penn. Coal Co	85½	25 do	134⅜
20 do	85⅜	50 do	s10 134⅜
10 do	85⅜	200 do	twk 135
105 Pacific Mail S. Co.	93	100 Ill. Cen. R. S	s60 63⅛
50 do	s60 83	100 do	63⅜
150 do	91⅜	50 do	s10 63⅜
200 do	b60 94	200 do	s30 63⅜
210 do	93⅜	100 do	b60 63⅜
100 do	b10 91⅜	5 Gal. & Chic. R	63⅛
50 do	s30 91⅜	50 Chic. & R. I. R	opg 69⅛
733 N. Y. Central R	82⅛	100 do	s10 63⅛
950 do	b60 82⅝	200 do	s10 89⅜
350 do	b30 82⅛	100 do	opg 69⅜
15 do	82⅜	400 do	opg 63⅜
150 do	b30 82⅛	50 Chic. Bri & Quin. R	75⅜
500 do	s60 82	50 do	75⅜
25 Hud. Riv. R	opg 48	165 do	75
50 do	s60 48	50 do	b30 75
10 Clev. & Pol. R	29⅜	25 do	b60 75⅛
200 do	s30 29⅜		

SECOND BOARD.

$1,000 Mo. State 6s	84½	10 Hudson River R	48⅜
3,000 N. Car State 6s	98	7 do	49
3,000 E. R. 3 M. B. '83	88⅜	100 Mich. Cen R	b30 53
2,000 M. So. 2d M. B	48	100 Panama R	b10 135
100 Merchants' Bk	104	300 Ill. Cen. R. Scrip	64⅛
5 Pacific M. St. Co	93⅛	100 Gal. & Chi. R	s15 63⅞
200 do	b60 94	100 do	64
100 N. Y. Cen. R	b1 82⅛	200 Clev. & T. R	29⅜
500 do	b60 82⅜	200 do	b30 29⅜
100 do	s60 82	85 Del., L. & W. R	94⅛
100 Erie Railroad	19⅜	15 do	92
200 Reading Rail'd	b60 41⅞	100 Chic., B. & Q. R	s30 75

WEDNESDAY, June 6—P. M.

There was a firmer tone to the Stock dealings to-day. The impression obtained early in the day that the singular or sudden decline on the speculative list yesterday was without either special or general cause, and sellers who were running short of Stocks on Tuesday were rather inclined to let other parties *Bear* the market to-day if so disposed. The consequence is that the closing prices this afternoon are up ⅛@¼ ⅌ cent. on most of the Railways on a very moderate offering of each description at the Second Board. On the other hand, some of the Commission Brokers continue to report the absence of anything like liberal orders to buy. New-York Central was first done at 82 ⅌ cent., and

bbls. North..., to a house in New-Bedford, at a price not transpired.

Import of Sperm and Whale Oil and Whalebone into the United States.

	Bbls. Sperm.	Bbls. Whale.	Lbs Bone
From Jan. 1 to June 6, 1860..	37,244	92,509	863,900
Same time last year.....	31,533	138,800	1,628,800

PRINTING CLOTHS—In Providence, during the week, sales were made of 63 600 pieces; including, according to the Providence *Journal*, 4,000 pieces, 64 by 64, on private terms; 15 000 do., 64 by 64, 5¾c.; 5 000 do., 60 by 68, 5¾c.; 8 000 do., 60 by 64, 5¾c.; 5 000 do., 60 by 64, 5¾c.; 8,000 do., 60 by 60, 5¼c.; 3,000 do., 56 by 60, 5½c.; 2 000 do., 56 by 56, 5c.; 3 000 do., 52 by 56, 4¾c.; 5,000 do., 52 by 52, 4¾c.; 5,000 do., 40 by 52, 4¾.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been more sought after, mainly on speculation, at firmer prices. Sales have been reported of 4,500 bbls., in lots, at $17 95@$18 for New Mess, (3,000 bbls. of which have been purchased at $18 ₱ bbl., on Western account; (@17 45@$17 50 for Old Mess; $13 50@$13 60 for New Prime, and $12 50 for Old Prime, ₱ bbl. Cut Meats are more inquired for, including Hams at 9c.@9¾c., and Shoulders at 7¼c.@7½c. ₱ lb. Bacon is in demand, chiefly at from 9¾c.@11¾c. ₱ lb. Lard is brisker. Sales have been reported of 1,100 tcs. and bbls., at from 11¼c.@11¾c. for common to prime, ₱ lb. Beef continues in request at former rates. Sales have been made of 300 bbls., at $8 75@$10 50 for repacked Western Mess; $11 12½@$12 50 for extra Western Mess; $5@$6 for Country Mess, and $4@$4 50 for Country Prime, ₱ bbl.; Prime Mess $14@$18 ₱ tc. Beef Hams $11@$15 ₱ bbl. Butter is in fair request, at 12c.@19c. for new State, and 9c. @16c for Ohio, ₱ lb. Cheese is in demand at 7c.@ 11c. ₱ lb.

RICE—Sales have been reported to-day of 480 tcs., chiefly at $4 25@$4 62½ ₱ 100 lbs.

SALT—Has been in fair demand, including Liverpool Fine at $1 52½@$1 72½, do. Ground at 95c. ₱ sack; and Turk's Island at 18½@19c. ₱ bushel.

SKINS—Have been inactive at old quotations.

SPICES—Have been quiet, to-day, yet are held firmly.

SUGARS—A pretty active business has been reported, to day—sales having transpired of 2,100 hhds., including Cuba at 6¾@7¾c., and Porto Rico at 7@7¾c. ₱ lb.

TALLOW—Sales of 25 000 lbs. at 9⅞ cts. per lb.

TEAS—Holders ask full prices. The inquiry, however, is restricted.

TOBACCO—Sales have been light, since our last, having been confined to 31 hhds. Kentucky and Maysville at 5½c. @8c.; 52 cases Seed-Leaf at 5c.@20c., and 110 bales Havana at 27c.@32c. ₱ lb.

WHISKY—Is plenty and heavy at 21½c.@21¾c. ₱ gallon, with sales of 400 bbls.

FREIGHTS—For Liverpool the engagements included 4,000 bbls. Flour at 1s. 9d.; 50,000 busn. Corn and Wheat, in bags, at 7d.@7½d., chiefly Corn at 7d.; 500 bbls. Resin at 1s. 9d.; 10 tons Oil at 24s. For London, 1,500 bbls. Flour at 2s.; 170 tcs. Beef at 5s. 6d., 100 boxes Bacon at 25s.; and 10 tons Oil at 30s. For Hamburg, 400 cases Seed Leaf Tobacco, by steamer, on private terms. For Bremen, 300 bbls. Cotton at ¼c., and 590 bbls. Resin on private terms. For Rotterdam, 800 bbls. Resin at 3s. 1½d.; 600 bbls. Spirits Turpentine at 3½c.; 100 bags Pimento at ⅞c.; and 50 sales Sarsaparilla at 1c. For Glasgow, 1,000 bbls. Flour at 2s. 6d. The latest charters, according to the *Shipping List*, have been: Ship *Tsar*, 470 tons, to Shanghai, at about $6,000; ship *Samuel Fales*, 751 tons, to Melbourne, something under $12,000; a brig, 240 tons, from Bangor to Deals, with privilege of Malaga, and back to a port north of Hatteras, $3,100; a bark, 340 tons, hence to River Plate, Lumber, $17; a schooner, 275 tons, to Point Petre, Guad., $1,240; one, 500 bbls., to Port-au-Prince and back, $900; a brig, 240 tons, from Wilmington, N. C., to Porto Rico and back to New-York, Sugar 50c. and Molasses $3 50, on deck; a schooner, 150 tons, to West Indies and back, $1,200; one, 142 tons, from Brandywine to St. Croix and back to New-York, $1,200; a brig, 500 hhds, to south side Cuba and back, 38c.; a bark, 260 tons, same voyage, 38c. and $3; a brig, 247 tons, to Marseilles, Staves, and back from a port in Spain to the United States, two brigs to Rio Grande and back to Hampton Roads for orders; a bark and a schooner from south side Cuba to New-York, two barks to north side Cuba and back, on private terms.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, June 6, 1860.

Commission Sales of Produce for the week ending May 16, 1860, prepared for THE NEW-YORK TIMES by PERRY & JOHNSON, Produce Commission Merchants, No. 231 Fulton-street. Our quotations are such as merchants and producers *realize who ship their Produce to this market to be sold* on commission.

BUTTER.

The breakdown in the Western markets has caused the tide of Ohio Butter to set this way in full force, and the largely increased receipts have forced a concession in price of 1c. to 2c. ₱ lb. on firkins not up to the standard for shipping purposes. There is a large amount of white, light-colored and streaked Butter in market, that will have to be sold at low prices, and at a decided loss to the shipper. A great portion of the Western Reserve is quite equal to the State now arriving, and prices are nearly equal, except for Gretna Fine Dairy. Welsh Butter from this State suffers more from this competition than any other. With no special outlet, Butter bids fair to be very plenty this summer, and prices low, and merchants in Ohio should get prices down to 10c.@12c., to save themselves from loss.

Orange County, pails	18	@	22
Fine State Dairy, firkins, yellow	17	@	18
Fine State Dairy, half firkin tubs, do	16	@	18
Fair State Dairy, firkins	14	@	15
Fair State Dairy, half firkin tubs	12	@	14
Welsh tubs, Fine State	15	@	17
Welsh tubs, Fair State	12	@	14
Western Reserve, Fine Yellow	14	@	16
Western Reserve, Fair	12	@	14
Store packed, streaked	12	@	15

CHEESE.

Of common to fair quality, are plenty, but fine Cheese are scarce, and fully command our highest quotations. The export demand is unabated, and bids fair to continue heavy throughout the year.

New State, fine, ₱ lb	10½	@	11
New State, common to fair, ₱ lb	8	@	8
New Ohio, fine, ₱ lb	10	@	10½
New Ohio, common to fair, ₱ lb	5	@	8
Fine English Dairy, ₱ lb	13½	@	14
Fine Pineapple, ₱ lb	14	@	16

EGGS.

Are without material change. We quote:

State and Pennsylvania, ₱ dozen	12	@	12½
Jersey and Long Island, ₱ dozen	12½	@	12½
Ohio, ₱ dozen	11½	@	12½

FRUITS.

Dried Apples are in good demand at 6c. for good State and Ohio, in barrels. Other Fruits are unchanged. Strawberries are very plenty, selling at 2c. @3c.

Dried Apples, State, ₱ lb	—	@	6
Dried Apples, New Southern, ₱ lb	4	@	5
Dried Peaches, Southern, peeled, ₱ lb	6	@	14
Dried Peaches, Southern, unpeeled	8	@	9
Dried Blackberries, ₱ lb	—	@	12
Dried Cherries, pitted, ₱ lb	20	@	22
Dried Plums, ₱ lb	—	@	22
Dried Raspberries, ₱ lb	18	@	—
Strawberries, Jersey, ₱ basket	2	@	3

BEANS.

Beans are dull, and have declined considerably. We quote:

Small Pea, new, ₱ bushel	$1 00	@	—
Medium, new, ₱ bushel	75	@	90
Kidney, ₱ bushel	1 50	@	—
Yorkwhat, ₱ bushel	1 25	@	1 75
Red, ₱ bushel	1 25	@	—
China, ₱ bushel	1 75	@	—

POULTRY AND GAME.

Wild Squabs, ₱ dozen	50	@	75
Turkeys, dressed, ₱ lb	12	@	13
Turkeys, dressed, ₱ lb	11	@	11
Chickens, Spring, ₱ pair	50	@	75
Ducks, ₱ pair	1 00	@	1 25
Geese, a piece	1 00	@	1 25
Geese, ₱ lb	10	@	12
Squabs, ₱ dozen	2 00	@	2 50
Wild Pigeons, ₱ dozen	1 00	@	1 25
Wild Duck, ₱ pair	50	@	—
Wood Ducks, ₱ pair	37½	@	50
English Snipe, ₱ dz	2 00	@	2 50
Teal, per pair	37	@	50
Widgeon	37	@	50
Black Ducks	62	@	75

LIVE POULTRY.

Fowls, ₱ pair	75	@	87½
Geese, per pair	1 50	@	2 75
Ducks, ₱ pair	87½	@	1 00
Turkeys, ₱ lb	14	@	—

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, Bermuda, ₱ bbl	4 50	@	5 —
Potatoes, Nova Scotias	50	@	60
Potatoes, Sweet, Delaware, ₱ bbl	—	@	3 25
Dykeman, ₱ bbl	1 25	@	—
Mercers, ₱ bbl	1 60	@	1 75
Peach Blows, ₱ bbl	1 75	@	1 87½
Junes, ₱ bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Western Reds, ₱ bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Jersey Whites, ₱ bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Pink Eyes, ₱ bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Carters, ₱ bbl	1 75	@	—
Buck Eyes, ₱ bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Spinach, ₱ bbl	—	@	37½
Radishes, ₱ 100	—	@	25
Lettuce, ₱ 100	75	@	1 00
Asparagus, ₱ bunch	6	@	10
Rhubarb, ₱ 100	2 00	@	2 50
Tomatoes, ₱ box	—	@	25
Cucumbers, ₱ 100	3 00	@	5 00
String Beans, ₱ bbl	3 00	@	5 00
Cauliflower, ₱ doz	2 25	@	2 50
Red Onions, New-Orleans	5 00	@	5 50
Green Peas, Jersey, ₱ bbl	3 00	@	4 00
New Squash, white, ₱ bbl	3 00	@	—
New Squash, yellow, ₱ bbl	4 00	@	—

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 6, 1860.

With the ushering in of the strawberry season meats are expected to decline unless there is a scant supply. There has been no scarcity during the past week, as will be seen by referring to the figures below. Beeves have come in more freely than during any previous week since the 1st of February, and even they only exceeded in numbers, not in weight. We have not had as much *beef* since the middle of December. Such being the case it is easy to see why the present was a hard market, and the decline of ½c. ₱ lb. is no more than might be expected. The cattle could not all be used by butchers. Graziers finally cleared out the yards at new prices....Milch cows are lower and sell slowly. There is a surplus on hand....Veal calves are largely in excess of the wants of butchers. The best sold at 5½c.@ 6c. ₱ lb. live weight at the opening of the market, but prices dwindled during the day. Nice fat calves were sold at night for 4c.@4½c., and the pens were emptied with difficulty.....Sheep and lambs are in good supply, and sell 25c.@50c. ₱ head lower than last week. There were a few lots unsold at night.....Hogs are plenty, and a little lower than one week ago. Trade is slow.

The following figures, carefully compiled from our former reports, and from statistics gathered at all the City yards, including the cattle sold direct to butchers at Bergen, give a comparative view of the past market supplies and show the

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF LIVE STOCK AT ALL THE NEW-YORK CITY MARKETS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 5.

	Beeves.	Milch Cows.	Veals.	Sheep.	Swine.
This week	4,666	169	1,402	8,239	5,605
Previous week	3 709	184	1.297	7,291	3,962
Same w'k last year	3,641	252	1,180	6,452	6,119
Weekly average of beeves for 1859					3,950
Weekly average of beeves for 1858					3,676
Weekly average of beeves for 1857					3,143

Total number of live animals of all kinds received during the past week at the New-York City yards, 26 681. Total number received the previous week, 16,443, being an increase of 3,538 beeves, calves, sheep and hogs.

Of the 4 666 fresh bullocks received during this week, 3,980 were taken to the Washington Yards, Forty-fourth-street; 624 were sold at the Bergen yards, at the terminus of the Erie Railroad; 16 were yarded at BROWNING'S; 13 at O'BRIEN'S, on Sixth-street; and 33 at CHAMBERLAIN'S yards, on Robinson-street. Bergen sales have been larger than for several weeks previous.

Of the 3,980 bullocks yarded at Forty-fourth-street, this week, so far as we could ascertain their origin from owners and salesmen, and from the yard-books, 171 head came from New-York, 198 from Indiana, 2,074 from Illinois, 171 from Pennsylvania, 326 from Iowa, 359 from Kentucky, 414 from Ohio, 20 from Michigan, 37 from Canada, and 120 from Missouri. As was the case last week, nearly three-fifths of the cattle came from the prairie pastures of Illinois.

The 4,604 beeves yarded at Forty-fourth-street and at Bergen Hill came in by the following routes: Erie Railroad, 1,632; Hudson River Railroad, 1,508; Harlem Railroad, —; Camden and Amboy Railroad, 277; Hudson River Boats, 539; and New-Jersey Central Railroad, 558.

The present week gives quite a change of cattle trains on the Erie road. From bringing little more than half as many as the Hudson River road for a few weeks past, it now exceeds it.

THE CATTLE SALES YESTERDAY AND TO-DAY.

The weather was all that could have been desired for a good cattle market at this season. Cool during the first day, with a serene atmosphere, which imparted health and vigor to those who inclined to inhale it largely in comparative purity, as may be done by visiting the up-town cattle yards at Forty-fourth-street. But neither the serenity of the atmosphere nor the mild rays of the sun found an answering chord nor a reflecting medium in the persons of those selling cattle this week, especially if they were the unfortunate owners of the stock they were selling. No, rather "cloud instead, and ever during dark surrounded them," as they strove with zeal worthy of a better compensation to obsoose of their stock upon the best terms they could make with offish buyers. The real unvarnished facts a e that the present week one of the hardest markets of the season, and felt the more as one or two of the late markets gave indications of an improvement. We do not mean to say that cattle sold really lower than at any former time, but considering their good qualities, and the fact that many of them cost as much, or even more, at the West than they sold for here, we unite with the sellers in pronouncing it one of the hardest markets of the season. A glance at the table of numbers will show, in part, why this is so, and a reminder that strawberries are now quite plenty, and that they are largely eaten during the early part of the season, indicates the rest. It may also be remarked that other meats are plenty and cheap, and that new vegetables are coming in quite freely.....The best sales were made yesterday, although very few animals reached over 2¾c. Prime steers and fat oxen sold to-day at 9c., and lots of quite decent steers were taken by graziers at 8c. Tempted by the low rates, several feeders bought small lots, and took them to Westchester, Putnam, Orange and Dutchess Counties, and also into Connecticut, to eat up, or, as one of them remarked, "trample down" the luxuriant grass. Several hundred were taken by such buyers, and this was the only thing which prevented lots of cattle from remaining over unsold; as it was, the yards were barely emptied at nightfall.

Taking the average of the entire transactions of this week's market, yesterday's sales being included in those of to-day, and setting down those of last week for comparison, we have the following:

	To-day.	Last week.
Premium cattle	None.	None.
First quality	9¾c.@10c.	10c. @10¾c.
Medium quality	8¾c.@ 9c.	9c. @ 9¾c.
Poor quality	7¾c.@ 8c.	8c. @ 8¾c.
Poorest quality	6c. @ 7c.	7¼c. @ 8c.
General selling prices	8c. @ 9¾c.	8¾c. @10c.
Average of all sales	— @ 8¾c.	— @ 9c.

Even at the above quotations the buyers had the advantage of weights. We estimate the real decline, as openly confessed, at ½c. ₱ lb., and an equivalent of near ¾c. more on account of weights—at least this was the case with the closing sales.

The following extracts from our copious notes made of transactions during the day, will give the distant reader some idea of the character of the sales:

VALENTINE & MARTIN sold one lot of 52 fair Pennsylvania cattle, for several owners, at 6½c.@6¾c. They were of uneven weights; also, on their own account, (unfortunately, as they say,) 100 heavy, still-fed Illinois oxen and steers, which cost $75 per head in Chicago. They would dress 7½ cwt., were fat, and brought here 8½ each. As it cost about $10 ₱ head to bring them from Illinois, it will be seen that they sunk the owners near $1,400.

WOODRUFF & DUDLEY sold, for R. M. WOOD, 68 fair Illinois steers, of say 7 cwt., at 8c.@9c., or $60 each.

J. C. HOAG sold 92 common Illinois steers, with a few oxen, which weighed 1,250 lbs. at home. They were for PHELPS & HOLLINGSWORTH, and run out at 8c.@9c., or fully ½c. less than such cattle would have brought last week.

GURNEY, BARKER & WALLACE sold at Bergen, 36 common Illinois cattle for Mr. TILDEN at 8¾c. on Chicago weight. Also, here, 79 Illinois still cattle, in fair flesh, for Mr. NORTHCOAT, at 8½c.@9c. They were rated 7½ cwt. And for HALL 88 Illinois cattle, ranging from very good down to quite common, at 7½c.@9c. They were of very uneven weights.

D. G. CULVER sold 58 fine Kentucky steers, bought of WARE at Albany. They would dress 8½ cwt., and run out at 9c. Also, for GOFF, 60 head of good Kentucky cattle at 9½c., on 8 cwt.

D. BARNES, on his own account, 29 pretty good Ohio steers, of, say, 8 cwt., at 9c.

J. A. MERRITT for ALEXANDER & FITCH, 125 just fair-ish Illinois steers and oxen of about 7½ cwt. at 8c.@ 9c.

C. G. TEED for J. GOFF, 42 head of coarse Kentucky cattle, of 8½ cwt. at 9c.@9½c. Also with T. WHEELER, 25 Illinois cattle belonging to E. WILLIAMS. Rated 7½ cwt., and brought 9c.

HURD & CARY, on their own account, 32 good Kentucky steers, a little coarse, fed in Ohio by BUSHING. They would dress 8½ cwt.; and brought $72 each. Also, 26 Kentucky steers, bought at the yards, of 8½ cwt., fat, and brought $76 each, or just about 9c.

T. WHEELER sold 78 pretty good Illinois cattle for GEO. REED. Rated 7¾ cwt., and run out at $72 each.

MURRAY & GLOVER, for J. T. ALEXANDER, 105 well-fed Illinois steers of 7½ cwt. @7¾ cwt., at 9c.

B. BARTRAM, for self and brother, 90 head of good fair Indiana and Kentucky steers, of strong 7½ cwt., at $67, or 9c.

C. W. CONGER sold 29 Illinois cattle, rough and heavy, rated at 7¼ cwt., for EMERY, at 8c.@8½c.; and 30 better cattle from Pennsylvania, brought in by SHUYSTER, which ran out at 9c.@9½c. They were in good flesh, and would dress 8¼ cwt.

WHITE & SON, for H. R. SMITH, 166 Iowa steers and oxen, in fair to good flesh, rated 7¾c wt., at 8c.@9c. They were averaging a trifle over $66 each.

MILCH COWS.

Cows are not selling as well. There is a falling off in price of $3 @$5 ₱ head from last week. The 169 fresh cows brought in during the week were yarded, 63 at O'BRIEN'S and 48 at BROWNING'S, both in Sixth-street; 38 at CHAMBERLIN'S, in Robinson-street; and 20 at ALLERTON'S, Forty-fourth-street. There is a surplus at all of these places, and in Sixth-street some of the cows have been kept several weeks awaiting purchasers. Dealers complain of general dullness, saying that the only way to dispose of their cows is to send them out among the farmers and milkmen of the country. The demand from private individuals is much lighter than usual at this season. We noticed a few sales of fair cows at $35 each.

VEAL CALVES.

We have reported several hard veal markets of late, but this one caps all of them in point of closeness and difficulty in getting rid of the stock. The receipts have been large, (over 1 400,) and at the principal selling place in Forty-fourth-street, with near 900 live calves brought in in a single day, it is no wonder that some of them had to be sold very low—given away, as the dealers called it. Not only is the number large, but the calves themselves are large, giving fully 25 ₱ cent. more veal than a similar number in the early part of the season. Veal sells slowly on market, in consequence of other meat being plenty, and strawberries and fresh vegetables usurping the place of meats during the warm weather. This creates little demand for live calves, and they literally went begging (for purchasers) to-day, if we take their bleating for begging. We saw prime, large fat calves sold at 5c. ₱ lb., live weight, while it is likely that a few were turned out to regular customers at 6c., but it is not likely that they averaged over 4½c. Buyers only take half as many as they have been purchasing. The market may be quoted ¾c. ₱ ₱ lower than last week. To close up at night, good calves were sold late in the day at 4c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Owing to large receipts of live sheep, they do not sell as well as last week by 25c. ₱ head for sheep, and 50c ₱ head for lambs. A few lots of extra sheep brought 5c., but most of them sell at 4¾c.@4¾c. ₱ lb. live weight. We noticed one lot of pretty good wethers, which would probably dress 46 to 48 lbs., sold at $4 25 ₱ head. Another lot of heavier fat sheep, brought $5 each.

BROWNING'S sheep pens contained sufficient stock for the wants of buyers, and trade was rather dull.—The receipts were as follows, viz.: From Ohio, 55 by W. Myers; 381 T. Hassberry; 80 S. H. Budlong; 101 H. Downing; 221 Harris & Loveland, and 156 by J. M. Melvin, making 1,536 from Ohio. From New Jersey, 25 by W. Weller; 25 by D. C. Criner; 137 by Mayberry & Craig; 187 by A. Rossling; 250 by G. B. Holcombe; 56 P. Voorhees; 70 T. S. Cathers; 27 J. W. Bellis; 23 P. Brewer; 62 R. Bellis; 83 L. Bellis; 45 P. A. Bloom; 62 C. Kline; 7 C. Wills; 36 J. Bellis, 29 M. A. Agar.

Total from New Jersey 1,132. From Pennsylvania 199 by J. McElroy. From New York 3 by G. Barnes; 106 by D Poucher and 37 by J. J. Platner.—From Michigan, 102 by R. McGraw. Total at Brownings 3,116.

BELLIS & KENT, sheep brokers at BROWNING'S, report the following sales made during the week, viz.

Sheep & Lambs.	Owners.	Prices.
25	W. Weller	100 00
79	T. S. Cathers	337 38
85	G. B. Holcombe	343 50
78	W. Myers	318 00
165	G. B. Holcombe	734 87
83	L. Bellis	392 50
45	P. A. Bloom	185 00
37	R. Bellis	151 00
62	J. W. BeHis	240 25
23	P. Brewer	88 99
28	M. A. Apgar	104 25
710—Total		$5,005 74

Which was an average of $4 23½ ₱ head. They were mostly Jersey lambs.

R. H. HUME sold 194 sheep and lambs for $793 56; 174 do., for $968 47; 106 do., for $374 28; 207 do., for $872 87; 89 do., for $374 28. Total, 775, for $3,383 45, or an average of $4 36 each.

Jas. MCCARTY quotes sales of 403 sheep and lambs at an average of $4 12 each.

HART & WEST sold sold 205 head for $4 25 each; 222 very poor stores, at $3, and 203 head for $3 75 each.

O'BRIEN & MCGRAW have been having a good trade during the past week, and the stock was all sold up to this morning, when 411 came in for to-day's sales, but will be reported next week. Receipts were as follows: From New-York—749 by Shiner & Co., 178 by L. S. Hill, 40 by R. Vunk, 30 by E. Sleight, 210 by R. Williams 20 by Tracy & Co., 51 by E. Frost 57 by Capt. Schoonmaker, and 211 by H. Hemohill. From Michigan—117 by H. J. Howland. From New Jersey—27 by R. White, 44 by D. McCarty & Co., 93 by T. Brutton, 22 by D. Allaire, and 27 by T Coleman. Total, 1,897.

Sales were made as follows:

583 sheep	$1,997 25	100 sheep	$500 00
166 sheep	664 00	161 sheep	633 00
178 sheep	688 00	15 lambs	91 75
434 sheep	1,602 87	44 lambs	187 60
45 sheep	222 50	21 lambs	104 25
50 sheep	181 25	12 lambs	64 00
117 sheep	438 25	61 lambs	269 00
101 sheep	489 50		
Total	2 088		$8 132 62

Among the above was a lot of 50, sold to DAVENPORT for the Bermuda market, at $6 50 each, which was probably over 5c. ₱ lb., live weight. They were very fine sheep.

ALLERTON had 748, and CHAMBERLIN 2,481 sheep and lambs.

SWINE.

Hogs have come in more freely, and trade has been a little livelier. A few hundred hogs have been taken for special packing, and some lots are still upon the markets unsold.

G. W. DOBMAN, commission broker at the Fortieth-street yards, reports as follows:

	Live Weight.	Dead Weight
Heavy prime corn hogs	6c. @—	7¾c @7¾c.
Light prime corn hogs	6¾c.@6¾c.	7¾c.@7¾c.
Fair to good corn hogs	6¾c.@6¾c.	7¾c.@7¾c
Heavy prime still hogs	5¾c.@—	6¾c.@6¾c.
Light prime still hogs	5¾c.@5¾c.	6¾c @7¼c.

Market slow, with as many hogs arriving as can be used at the above prices.

The Horse Market.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, June 6, 1860.

There remained unsold 719 horses at the Twenty-fourth-street stables. The business has been mostly limited this week to work horses. One pair of coach horses brought $1,200; another pair, $1,000; a third pair, $850. Several roadsters have been sold at $450 to $600 each. Good business and family horses command $250 to $400 each. Cart horses are held firmly at last week's prices, namely: $160 and $175 each. A few stage and railroad horses were purchased at $125 and $140 each. The arrivals have been less this week than during the previous week. The total number sold was 182, of which there were sold at Chamberlin's, 55; Post & Nichols', 38; Watson & Oakley's, 30; Carpenter's, 20. The total number on hand at the close is 683. Several lots are expected to-morrow.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

In the Senate yesterday the Houmas Land bill was read a third time and passed. The Army Appropriation bill was taken up, but no action was had thereon before adjournment. In the House the consideration of the Missouri Contested Election case was resumed, but no action was taken on the subject. A resolution was passed, giving the assent of Congress to such acts as the Legislatures of Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas may pass for the removal of the Red River raft, by levying tolls on boats navigating that river. Mr. MORRILL, of Vermont, commenced a speech on "Modern Democracy," but was kept for four hours waiting for a quorum, while a ridiculous scene was enacted in the House. At length he was allowed to proceed, with the understanding that his speech should be printed in the *Globe*.

The subject of the cattle epidemic is alarming our New-Jersey neighbors. Yesterday, they held a special meeting at Elizabeth, to adopt protective measures against its further increase. A report was received from Mr. GUNN, of this City, detailing the symptoms of the disease, and the sum of $1,000 was pledged for the expenses of preparing and printing a work in which the origin, progress, and means of cure, if any, of the disease shall be fully treated.

At the meeting of the Quarantine Commissioners, yesterday, claims amounting to over $200,000 were submitted for losses alleged to have been sustained by the burning of the Quarantine buildings in September, 1858. Counsel, appearing on behalf of the Board of Supervisors of Richmond County, entered a formal protest against the action of the Commissioners, claiming that the statute, under which they assume to act, is unconstitutional. The taking of testimony, preliminary to the adjusting of claims for losses, was entered upon, and a resolution passed to hold daily sessions, to bring the work of investigation to as speedy an issue as possible.

The Republicans of Westchester met yesterday at White Plains, to ratify the Chicago nominations. JAMES A. HAMILTON, son of ALEXANDER HAMILTON, and President of the Republican Association, presided. Messrs. HORACE GREELEY and EDMUND J. PORTER made addresses.

The trotting-match between *Flora Temple* and *Geo. M. Patchen*, for $1,000, best three in five, took place at the Union track yesterday, and resulted in favor of *Flora Temple*, who won the three first heats—time, 2:21; 2:24, and 2:21½, being the fastest time on record. Ten thousand spectators were present. The track was in fine order, and everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner.

A Grand Jury was impanelled, yesterday, in the Court of General Sessions. The principal feature of Recorder BARNARD'S charge was his reference to the ticket swindlers, several of whom it is probable will be indicted this term. The Recorder, rightly considering this class of vagabonds worse than ordinary robbers, declared his intention, if any of them were convicted before him, to send them to the State Prison for the longest period that the law would allow. Several stereotyped cases of larceny and assault and battery were tried yesterday. JAMES HARRISON, convicted of grand larceny, was sent to the State Prison for four years. The other cases, being those of minor offences, subjected the culprits to various terms in the Penitentiary and City Prison.

The City Superintendent of Schools sent a communication to the Board of Education last evening, recommending that the home study system be entirely abandoned in the Primary Departments and considerably modified in the Upper Departments, which was referred to the Committee on Course of Studies. The resolution censuring the School Officers of the Fourth Ward, for their recent discharge of school teachers, came up, but the hour for adjournment arrived before any action was taken upon it.

The Stock Exchange was higher by ¼@½ ₱ cent. yesterday, than on Tuesday, on a moderate amount of business. New-York Central closed 82½@¾. Federal and State Stocks were firmer. No alterations in Money or Exchange—a dull day in both departments.

The sales of Cotton were more extensive, yet prices were unaltered. Flour was in fair demand at essentially unchanged rates. Wheat and Corn were saleable and steady. Provisions were more sought after, and Pork was dearer. Sugars were freely purchased. Rice was in better request. The movements in other branches of business were moderate. There were 466 vessels of all classes in port.

The Live Stock Markets were abundantly supplied yesterday—some of them even to overflowing—with animals for sale, and prices have generally declined....Beeves were offered in larger numbers than at any time since the first week of February, and even then there was not as much *meat*, the cattle being much heavier now. The demand for beef was moderate, and sales dragged heavily before night at a decline of fully ½c. ₱ lb. The cattle may be quoted: Prime 9c.@9½c.; medium, 8c.@8½c.; poor, 7c.@7½c. Had not feeders bought several hundred, the cattle would not have all been sold....Milch cows are $3@$5 ₱ head lower than last week, and sell slowly at this decline....Veal calves are a drug in the market. It was scarcely possible to clear the pens of the large numbers offered, at ½c. decline from last week. Good calves sold at 4c.@5c. ₱ lb., live weight....Sheep and lambs are plenty, and 25c.@50c. ₱ head lower than last week. A few of the best sheep still bring 5c. ₱ lb., live weight.... Hogs are also rather in excess of the wants of buyers, and prime corn-fed at 6c.@6½c. ₱ lb., live weight.

A PLEA FOR INNOCENCE.—Mr. WIGFALL objects to the admission of Kansas to the Union on account of "its bad moral character." He says he is unwilling that "Texas should associate with such a State." We must say that this is an objection worth considering. If Mr. WIGFALL can show that the morality of Kansas is at so low an ebb that Texas would be corrupted by merely remaining in the same federation with her, Kansas ought to be kept out at any cost. The purity of such an innocent as Texas must be preserved from contamination, particularly as, by all accounts, it is daily making hopeful progress. It was only last week that we recorded the gratifying fact that a Texan clergyman was astonishing a region which profits by his ministrations, by "leaving off profane swearing, and beginning to read the Scriptures quite fluently." There is no knowing how many other clergymen this gentleman's example may influence; and in the process of time, if the State be kept out of bad company, every minister in it may come to eschew bad language, and read the gospels and epistles off-hand, without spelling.

To retard so good a work, for the mere purpose of introducing two Republicans into the Senate, would be in the highest degree improper. Texas has already suffered severely from Yankee immigration, such as has peopled Kansas. The austere settlers from Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, and other Southern States have been shocked and scandalized by the freedom and license of New England manners. Pious and God-fearing Mississippians are intimidated and disgusted by the profane language, the fierce passions and the ready use of the knife and revolver, on the part of their neighbors from Connecticut and Massachusetts, and have returned in great numbers to the quiet and security of their old homes. Under these circumstances Mr. WIGFALL'S protest is not unnatural. We believe he has himself had his feelings hurt and his fears aroused, on more than one occasion, by the brutal and boisterous bullying of Mr. SEWARD and other Republican Senators of the same school. A sensitive, scholarly man, of studious habits, retiring and fastidious temperament, such as Mr. WIGFALL is known to be, can hardly be blamed for dreading a fresh influx of swaggering, blaspheming, drinking, cock-fighting Yankees, into the body which he adorns.

The Rejection of Kansas.

If anything can convince the entire mass of the people of the North of the absolute necessity of displacing the oligarchy which bears sway at Washington, it will be the relentless tyranny with which it wields whatever remnant of power is suffered to remain in its hands. No consideration of justice or of public policy is ever allowed to turn it from its settled purpose, of fortifying its own power and promoting its own specific and selfish ends, at whatever expense to the general good.

The rejection of the bill for the admission of Kansas by the Senate affords a striking instance of this abuse of power. For four years now the people of Kansas have been struggling for the recognition of their rights. The resistance they have encountered has cast a lasting reproach upon our institutions. The slaveholding interest determined at the outset to force Slavery upon them, regardless of existing law as well as of the will of the people themselves. The whole country has been convulsed with the struggle to which this attempt gave rise. It was prosecuted with ceaseless industry, so long as there was a possibility of its success. No means were left untried to accomplish it. Fraud, violence, perjury, forgery—every conceivable crime found ready agents, so long as there remained the faintest hope that by their lavish use Slavery might be planted upon Kansas soil. The Lecompton Constitution seemed to have done the work. Notoriously the product of the basest and most barbarous crimes,—in open and shameless disregard of the public will,—it had, nevertheless, the saving virtue of recognizing Slavery as a social institution, and a political power, in the new State. This single fact hushed all murmurs, and quenched every impulse of remorse. It rendered the immediate admission of the State not only desirable, but a matter of the highest necessity. Mr. BUCHANAN recommended it in a special message. The Senate voted for it,—every Pro-Slavery Senator being eager to record his suffrage in its behalf. The public welfare would brook no delay. The measure was needed to quiet agitation, to calm the aroused sensibilities of the nation,—to remove this dangerous question from the domain of political strife. The effort failed,—not from any misgiving on the part of the Pro-Slavery party, by which it was sustained,—but because there were a few Democrats not quite ready or willing to be dragooned into so flagrant an outrage upon democratic principles and the will of the people most directly concerned.

Two years have passed, and the scene has changed. Kansas has been growing, steadily and rapidly, in population and in power. Her political institutions have acquired more form and consistency,—her social life has become more settled and established,—internal commotion has ceased to disturb her peace. The people have framed a Constitution, through delegates chosen by themselves in strict accordance with the forms of law;—it has been ratified by an immense majority of the inhabitants, and has been sent to Congress as the basis of their application for admission into the Union. The desire is universal among the people of the Union, that this application should be granted. Not a word of opposition to it has been heard from any quarter. Men of all parties and of all sections concede its essential justice, and look forward to the admission of Kansas as the end of a long and violent struggle of contending sections, fruitful only of danger and disaster to the whole country. The Democratic Party in the Senate interposes and forbids it! It repudiates its own sentiments and arguments of two years ago. It turns a deaf ear to the reasons of State which demand the passage of the bill,—and, true only to the instinct of selfish domination which controls all its action, it excludes the new State because Slavery is *not* among its institutions, and because its vote will be added to the list of Republican States.

The admission of Kansas would undoubtedly add *three* to the electoral votes which will be given for the Republican candidate. But its rejection will be equally certain to weigh heavily in the scale against the Democratic Party, in every Northern and Western State where they have been hoping for success. The end will show that, for the sake of excluding three votes, they have encountered the hazard of throwing away ten, yes, twenty times as many more. There is no issue which at the present moment the South could make more likely than this to arouse the distrust and enlist the hostility of every Western State. The people of Illinois, of Indiana, of Ohio and of Pennsylvania have been told repeatedly that the Kansas question was a thing of the past,—that Slavery was forever excluded from its borders,—that the rights of the people were secure, and their prompt admission into the Union absolutely certain. This vote of the Senate will teach them a different lesson.

IMPRISONED WITNESSES—INFORMATION WANTED.—The Keeper of the House of Detention for witnesses has made a return to the Board of Supervisors of the number of persons detained therein, and the length of time their imprisonment has lasted. Amongst them is one person who has been in custody over six months, as witness in a case of "receiving stolen goods;" another five months, in a case of arson; two, four months, in cases of murder, and one for three months.

Now we are aware, from Mr. WATERBURY'S own declaration, that he considers himself District-Attorney by divine right, and that whether he brings indictments to trial in one month or in twelve, or not at all, he is responsible to nobody but God and his own conscience. The public, however, does not by any means take this view of the case, and if we are not greatly mistaken, will, before long, insist on having that Augean Stable, the office of the public prosecutor, cleared of its mouldy indictments and hushed-up crimes. It thinks itself, therefore, clearly entitled to be informed by Mr. WATERBURY why this case of "receiving stolen goods," in which an innocent witness has for six months been held in custody, was not brought to trial five months ago! The case of arson is, we presume, that of SHEPHERD, for the delay in which Mr. WATERBURY is not responsible; but why have these two murder cases been left untried for four months?

We base no charges on these returns. We simply ask for an explanation. We ask to have the District-Attorney's share in bringing criminals to justice, subjected to the ordinary and proper guarantee of publicity. These delays would be monstrous abuses, even if no one but the criminal awaiting trial were inconvenienced by them; but when they involve the imprisonment of innocent witnesses while the accused is often at large on bail—it is high time that light were let in upon them. We hope the Board of Supervisors will not let this matter drop. They have made one ineffectual attempt to make Mr. WATERBURY give an account of his stewardship, but they must not be discouraged by one failure.

Our Temples of Justice.

In the northeast corner of the Park, overtopped by surrounding buildings, stands a modest edifice, the second story of which is reached by stairs on the outside in the manner of tenement houses—for one of which it might be mistaken, but for the close resemblance its exterior bears to the well-appointed stable of a brown-stone house. In spite of its appearance, however, it serves neither of these purposes, but does the twofold duty of a temple of justice and an engine-house. The first floor is occupied by "the masheen" and the "boys" that "run" therewith; while the rooms above are set apart "to the use and behoof" of the Superior Court of "the Capital of a Hemisphere." Firemen are not usually the most quiet race of men to be found. It is not surprising, therefore, that in this temple the yells of the athletes below sometimes rise and mingle with the notes of forensic conflict above, to the utter confusion of judge and jury, who for the time forget law, and become absorbed in the fact of the hubbub that rages below them.

For preserving the leather of the engine hose from the impairing effect of alternate soaking and drying, resort is had to the application of animal fats, a huge cauldron of which is often heated below, that sends up a cloud of vapor to the throne of justice in the rooms above, whose fragrance differs somewhat in character from that of the myrrh and incense which smoked on the altars of the goddess in ancient time. The disagreeable and noxious vapors that pervade the entire building have long been the subject of comment by those whose business has required their attendance at the Superior Court. The Judges have frequently remonstrated against holding Court in the midst of such disturbing and unwholesome surroundings, but until recently without effect. At length several jurymen, and others attending the Court, having been taken sick in the progress of trials, under such circumstances as to leave but little doubt that the unwholesome atmosphere of the place was at least partially the cause, the Judges have refused to submit to the nuisance longer, and issued a mandate to the Sheriff to provide them with reasonable quarters. For the present they occupy the second floor of Tammany Hall, at a monthly rent of $500.

However desirable may be the effect upon Tammany of having law and justice in its vicinity, it certainly seems a hardship for an important Court, in a tax-paying community like ours, to go begging for a shelter. The temples of justice in Athens, whose very ruins were ancient a thousand years ago, were the noblest models of architecture for every succeeding age. It is certainly disgraceful in an age like the present, to be so far behind antiquity itself in this respect, as to hold the Courts of a national metropolis in woodsheds, engine-houses or the chambers of a tavern. If a tithe of the public money that finds its way into the private purses of the reception committees and other municipal sponges of the Common Council could be employed in the erection of public buildings, the City might be as rich in architectural beauty as it is now in unseemly piles of building materials.

AN AMBITIOUS DESPERADO.—HICKS is evidently desirous of ending his days in a blaze of notoriety, and of making his forthcoming biography a work of thrilling interest. He, it appears, withholds the confession of his doings on board the sloop, with motive view of increasing the demand for his memoirs, and it is not impossible that it may be from the same view he is throwing out dark hints of his connection with several other cases of murder and piracy. He is not content with assigning himself a share in the *Saladin* tragedy, but insinuates a still less probable participation in the affair of the *Eudora Imogen*, for which the negro WILSON was executed some years ago, at White Plains. To this latter story no credence is attached, even by those who place most faith in him; and his falsehood in one confession raises a fair presumption of his falsehood in others. Until he furnishes further proofs of his having been on board the *Saladin* at the time of the mutiny, and explains how he escaped being hanged therefor, it is safest to ascribe this portion of his narrative to a desire to clothe himself with "mysterious interest." Of his guilt in the *E. A. Johnson* affair we did not need any confession. The proof was clear as noonday.

Why he should thus set about blackening his own memory, nobody who is at all familiar with the closing scenes in the lives of distinguished criminals will think it necessary to try to explain. The craving of great scoundrels for great notoriety at the foot of the gallows is one of those psychological phenomena which the greatest philosophers have to content themselves with recording. HICKS is not only a great scoundrel but a stupid one. That his cunning is of the lowest order is proved by the clumsiness of his attempts to conceal his latest crime. A monkey or a dog would in similar circumstances have displayed almost as much sagacity and forethought. His attempts to make himself out now as black a villain as possible are thoroughly characteristic. So is the following advertisement of his forthcoming "little work:"

"HICKS—Well, I have been mixed up in a great many scrapes. You will hear all about it when my life comes out in pamphlet form. The pamphlet is to be published for the benefit of my widow, and will be issued in a few days."

The Coming Monster.

The sweet uses of adversity have found a fortunate illustration in the history of the *Great Eastern*. There is very little reason to doubt that had the great ship visited America last Autumn, the visitation would have resulted in a very serious popular disappointment. On no topic had sensation-writing so exhausted itself. The dimensions of the monster, its ponderous machinery, its stupenduous shafts and wheels and screws, its vast vistas of saloons, its steadiness, its speed, its manageability, had all been the subject of exaggerated statement, and of pictorial effort, which far exceeded all possibility of realization; and which actual experiment and inspection could only have put to shame. The mishaps which providentially postponed the trans-Atlantic voyage, added to the demonstration that no such results in speed as had been anticipated by the projectors were to be further counted upon, have had the salutary effect of reducing the popular expectation; so that the *Great Eastern* of 1860 will be likely to bring with it the raciness of a fresh sensation, and the pleasure of a satisfactory disappointment. Nor is the substitution of New-York for Portland, as its cis-Atlantic destination, the least of the advantages flowing from the protracted delay.

Elsewhere in this paper is republished a highly interesting account of the various changes which have been wrought within the Leviathan since last Autumn. Costing an outlay of $125,000, they have, it appears, fulfilled abundantly the exacting requirements of the Board of Trade. The majority of the defects thus remedied were very distinctly indicated by the scientific gentleman, whose correspondence with the TIMES last year supplied the only judicious technical criticism of the vessel presented by the Press on either side of the ocean. Of course those mischievous steam jackets, whose unhappy misbehavior brought sorrow upon the younger days of the ship, are dispensed with. The openings in the bulkheads below the water-line have been supplied with water-tight doors. Improvements in the engines have added greatly to their power, without an increase of fuel. The donkey-engines, which proved, it will be remembered, as balky and intractable as the most vicious of living donkeys, have been banished altogether—a pipe communicating directly with the salt water outside, and extending to an enlarged pipe connected by a stop-cock with the boilers, furnishing the requisite material for the creation of steam. These, with other minor changes, complete the requirements exacted by security and speed; and justify the belief on the part of the engineers who have effected them that the earlier promise of the enterprise, so dependent upon the rapidity of the monster's movements, is not to be wholly unrealized. If a rate of fourteen knots be obtained, as the experts seem confidently to anticipate, there is every reason to expect the arrival of the ship at this harbor within eight days and a half after her departure from England—an event now definitely fixed for Thursday of next week. The morning of the 23d inst. may, therefore, witness the stranger at anchor in our waters. And should the employés of the Associated Press way-lay the ship off Cape Race, there is no reason why, with telegraphic aids, we should not present the readers of the TIMES of June 19 with news in five days from London. These results, it is true, fall very far short of the sanguine reckoning of last year; but they will, nevertheless, mark a very important and memorable era in the history of oceanic travel and communication, and confirm the growing partiality for big ships.

Another not uninteresting question will also be solved by this remarkable voyage. The Commissioners of Pilots have declared the bar at Sandy Hook practicable for craft drawing the deep-water of this maritime giant. The opinions of other authorities, usually regarded as trustworthy upon such questions, have long since been pronounced adversely to this dictum; and various skillful pilots have declared their reluctance to attempt the passage. It is true, one condition upon which these adverse opinions rested has since been decided in favor of the vessel: it obeys the wheel with as entire submission as a ferry boat or a skiff. But the windings of the ship-channel at the entrance of this harbor are unpleasantly abrupt, and the water, at the highest stage, barely deeper than the most modest demands of the great visitor; and should the attempt at the last moment be abandoned, the approach from Long Island Sound will be the only alternative. It is a matter worthy of grave consideration how far this development may affect the present location of our shipping business. Will the fashion of these commercial mammoths compel the foreign shipping interest to follow the up-town movement, and settle down to the eastward of the Central Park?

A CASE OF GROSS CONTEMPT.—In the Court of Sessions yesterday, during the trial of a prosecution for assault and battery, the complaining witness, a Mr. GROSS, having given his own testimony in the case, manifested decided objections to allowing a witness on the other side to proceed, by shouting with an emphasis indicative of healthy lungs, "Take that witness away! He pounded me too." The Recorder called the noisy offender to the bar, and vindicated the insulted dignity of the Court by imposing a fine of $15, or in default of payment, imprisonment for two days. The most earnest protestations on the part of the victim that he didn't design to be guilty of any impropriety, but supposed that in "speaking out in meeting" he was only exercising the prerogative of a "sovereign," failed to mollify the Judge, who insisted on punishing such Gross contempt. An officer put in execution the sentence of the Court, by "extending the hospitalities" of the prison to the man, who had arrived, with very little calculation, to the conclusion that he couldn't earn the $15 easier than by consenting to become the "guest of the City" for two days. He departed under escort, a sadder and wiser man, inwardly resolving, no doubt, to endure injuries patiently in future, or else redress them with his own hand, rather than seek revenge at law. His was not the first instance in the history of lawsuits of a man "going for wool and coming home shorn."

If some of our Civil Courts would adopt equally energetic measures for the suppression of disturbances in their presence, created by members of the Bar, who could not plead ignorance of the respect they owe to the Bench and to others before it, Judicial dignity would be much enhanced, and the public would learn to respect tribunals that respected themselves.

Minor Topics.

—The Committee appointed to receive our Niphonese guests have been sweating their poor brains through all this sultry weather in regard to the ornamentation of the City Hall Park for the occasion. Although advising the Committee of Reception in anything which savors of æsthetics may seem as much a work of supererogation as though we attempted to teach them to chew tobacco, we have a plan of ornamentation to offer which would astonish and please the natives as well as the foreigners. Let several of the Aldermen be suspended by the neck from each of the larger trees in the vicinity of the City Hall, with a large weight attached to their heels, and we venture to say that the exhibition would be pleasant to all, dissatisfactory to none. It is true that the Japanese might think that the trees of this country bore interior fruit to those of Niphon, but this fact could be accounted for by the sterility of the soil of the Park, and the little cultivation that is deemed necessary in raising Aldermen. If any one can devise a better plan for ornamenting the City Hall grounds, or a better use to which our Aldermen can be put, we should like to hear from him before the arrival of the strangers.

—A few weeks since the throbbing heart of England beat within the limits of a twenty-four foot ring, the fingers of Britannia bound the battered brows of her Champion with laurel and court-plaster in about equal proportions, while the tail of the Lion was employed in the delicate duty of brushing from the national reputation for fair play the dust thrown upon it by the late "mill." But a blessed change has suddenly come over the scene. GARIBALDI has pitched his cap into the Sicilian arena, and the plaudits which go up from ten thousand and thousand English throats drown the echoes of Farnborough. Earl GREY interrupts himself in a diatribe against Republics in general, and that of America in particular, to wish GARIBALDI success in overthrowing the monarchy of old BOMBA, and even the English Press for the moment muzzle their cynical columns, to indulge for once in the luxury of praise. It is pleasant to know that our cousins over the water have at last waked to a consciousness that the arena for noble deeds is not the Prize Ring, and that there are dearer things in life to be striven for than the pugilist's belt.

—The editor of the Chicago *Record* has been lecturing at Marengo. In taking a view one fine dewy morning of the surrounding "country," he discovered a phenomenon. Hear him: "The rain which had fallen during the previous night had freshened the foliage and grass, and made everything look gorgeously green except the blue sky above us and the neighboring houses nestled among the trees." Now we can readily divine how the neighboring houses escaped the prevailing verdigris tint—they were nestled among the trees and protected from the rain—but how the skies above, which were open and exposed, managed to preserve their pristine blue, puzzles us to determine. This is a question for philosophical minds. The editor of the Chicago *Record* can discuss it in his next lecture, and the audience will be enabled to judge whether he stood among the things which looked "gorgeously green" or transcendantly "blue," on that fine, dewy morning.

—Among the private claims pending in Congress is one from W. H. VESEY, Esq., late Consul at Havre, for the reimbursement of money lost through the failure of Messrs. GREENE & Co., bankers, of Paris, in 1857. Mr. VESEY, like Mr. MASON, deposited the funds accruing from his office and belonging to the Government with this house, for safe-keeping, and at the time of their failure the amount thus deposited was 7,624 francs. He paid the whole sum out of his own funds to the Government, which thus sustained no loss; and he has since received a dividend amounting to 10 per cent. of the sum due him. The Committee on Foreign Relations in the Senate has reported in favor of reimbursing him the residue, as it is scarcely fair to throw upon him a loss sustained without any fault of his own.

—The Vice-President of the United States and Mr. FLOYD, the Secretary of War, are to fight a main of cocks at Washington next week, in the presence of a large and fashionable throng. We are not without hopes that this interesting occurrence will be followed up by a match between a pair of bull terriers, provided by the President and Gen. CASS, for the entertainment of the diplomatic corps. If we continue to progress at our present rate, who knows but the year 1900 may see an amphitheatre at Washington for the exhibition of conflicts between incorrigible "niggers," bloodhounds and "b'ars."

—An exchange says that hydrophobia in dogs may be guarded against by amputation of the tip of the tail. This theory is excellent, but the practice is too limited; it errs on the score of caudal economy. We advocate going a greater length in the curtailing operation—the dog's tail should be cut off immediately behind his ears; he will never miss it, and thus all the horrors of hydrophobia may be prevented. As Sirius is now in the ascendant, this prescription is worth serious consideration.

—The *Great Eastern* is still advertised to leave for this port on the 9th of June—next Saturday. We have heard, however, from a source entitled to credit, that she will probably not leave until the 14th. We understand that Messrs. LANSING & BALDWIN are the Paris agents for this vessel.

Mr. Church's Last Picture.

Whether the rule holds good in Art, that "evil communications corrupt good manners," we shall be able, perhaps, next year to decide, when the few artists, who, having any manner of their own, have exposed that manner to the contagion of this year's Academy exhibition, shall once more come before us with a twelve-month's work. Mr. CHURCH wisely evaded the trial;—how wisely, his latest picture, yesterday privately exhibited to a discerning few at GOUPIL'S rooms in Broadway, may satisfy the observer. This picture is as little like the "Heart of the Andes," as twilight is like morning and the North like the South. Yet, the veriest tyro in connoisseurship could not hesitate a moment as to the authorship, were he to stumble on it in the palace of some Hyperborean Prince. This is one of Mr. CHURCH'S permanently great qualities,—that his pencil is his own, and speaks his own language in his own way. You can no more mistake Mr. CHURCH'S treatment of sunlight, in whatever phase, than Lord BYRON'S allusions to the sea.

But fine as this quality is, it is only one of the qualities that go to the making up of a painter; and Mr. CHURCH'S "Twilight" bears witness to a much larger circle of gifts.

The picture, to borrow the language of a sister art, may be described as a composition upon a theme drawn from Northern New-England. Those who know the rivers of Maine, know how peculiar their deeply-channeled beauty is—their massive banks, pine-clothed and steep, lending them a special solemnity of character. The Kennebec, for example, through much of its course, is a very river of twilight, hardly less impressive, though certainly less imposing, than the Saguenay itself. Mr. CHURCH has given us—or rather he has given Mr. WALTERS, of Baltimore, who kindly allows us to share for awhile his ownership of this new picture—a most true and touching version of this Northern river life, flowing silently and grandly on under a gorgeous twilight sky. The same astonishing power of perspective, which did such wonders in the "Heart of the Andes," reappears in the "Twilight," lifting the visible heavens high overhead, and leading the eye through miles of luminous atmosphere to a horizon quivering with light, and alive with that "peculiar tint of yellow-green" whereof COLERIDGE discourses in such sweetly philosophic fashion. The treatment of the atmosphere in this picture is one of Mr. CHURCH'S finest triumphs, and confirms afresh his title to the primacy he has reached in our native art.

About one hundred feet of the wall of the New-Orleans gas-works fell on the 1st inst., bringing down with them the iron roof and braces on that section of the building. Two white men and two negroes were injured, two of them quite seriously.

A THIRD LETTER FROM THE JAPANESE PORTFOLIO.

THE AMBASSADORS HAVE VERY ALMOST ARRIVED HERE TO RETURN—MOORAGAKE DISCOVERS THE INTENTION OF TAMPERING WITH OUR RELIGIOUS FAITH—HE IS SUSPICIOUS OF THE HONESTY OF OUR CHIEF EXECUTIVE.

OH, MOONSKI, SON OF FRUM! We were to go home. It was in an evil hour that we set upon the ship which brought us to this accursed country; it was the breath of DZIZO that filled her sails, and his was the hand that guided the helm. Our trowsers are rumpled, and our bodies are wearied. Our garments have been profaned by the touch of these barbarian women, and our ears are benumbed with their talk. Truly, as the CONFUCIUS has written, of much trouble there is no end. Many times has MOORAGAKE bent his knees, intending to bow with humility and say to the Tycoon of this people: "Spare thy servants, we know that we are Japanese, but we cannot help it." Yet remembrance of the duty which we owe to Niphon has prevented; it is glorious to suffer for the public good, and though we may never return to reap the rewarding smiles which the Mikado showers upon the faithful, our children shall be advanced to honor; it shall be said of their fathers, tell victims for the good of Niphon, and all tongues shall be loud in their praise. *Namoo Amadi!*

The Kami who has charge of our destinies requested to know which city the Ambassadors of the Moon would feel most delight in next seeing. It is needless to say, O, son of Frum, that our souls said Jeddo, though our mouths made answer that it mattered not. It was meant to convey us to Bos-ton, which city is also called Hub-of-the-U-ni-verse. On requesting that renowned sage and Kami, SCOTT, to tell us why it was thus named, he replied that it was full of spokes-men, surrounded by fel-loes, and was also a very tiresome place; but other scribes say it is called the Hub from having been the centre of the Revolution. It is the capital of New-Eng-land, and contains Mas-sa-chu-setts within its bosom.

The philosophers of Boston are celebrated throughout the land, and especially are they loved in the southern part of the kingdom, where Gen. SCOTT-KAMI says they are often raised upon posts of high honor. To be made a mar-tyr is a mark of consideration, and one much coveted by the mandarins of Boston, but as the distinction is conferred with a rope, it cannot be pleasant. There is a mar-tyr now in Wash-ing-ton; his name is HIGH-AT-IT; but he says it is not good to be a mar-tyr in warm weather, and that he is ready to sell out. It is very singular that no one wishes to buy: SCOTT-KAMI says mar-tyrs are at a dis-count now.

I have said that it was the intention of our captors to take us to Bos-ton, but it is not probable that our eyes will behold the Hub-of-the-U-niverse, nor that the young men of that city will have an opportunity of grasping us by the seat of our *toiskis*, which I am told is the customary manner in which they salute strangers. It is said that a large body of water called the Pond, in which the mothers of Boston are wont to baptise their children, is now dry, which thing is not Common! As this is the principal feature of the city, our visit is deferred until the rains of Heaven shall have replenished it, and we have prayed of Niu Rai that he will make the skies dry until we have departed for Niphon. So shall the bitter waters escape us. It is necessary that we go to Bal-ti-more, which is the home of Plug-Ug-lies, and also to Phil-a-del-phia, which is only inhabited by Qua-kers and Fire-men. Then we shall refresh our souls by looking upon the Island of New-York, which, as thou knowest, is the property of GEORGE-LAW-KAMI; from thence, if the beneficent Niu Rai delivers us from the hands of the Common-Council-men, we shall sail for Jeddo. *Namoo Amadi!*

It may surprise thee, O Son of Frum! that in addressing thee, MOORAGAKE has omitted the terms of endearment which are common with Orientals. But our souls are vexed. We have learned that this people brought us among them that they might plunder our strong boxes. They have sold us a time-bug which will not go. SCOTT-KAMI says the hands have struck, and that it is not *worth-a-dam*, which means that it is a "very bad *tokay*." And the Tycoon wishes to borrow our "cash," saying that he will receive it in the fashion of this people. But we have learned that he is a bad man, and not to be trusted. He already owes a man called CO-YO-DE much money, and says, he hopes that CO-YO-DE may get it. For this reason SIM-ME-BU-JEN did not think it well to intrust the Tycoon with our cash; but bowed as an Ambassador should, and thanked him for his offer, saying that our coin, though cast in the moulds of Niphon, was better than none, and that it was not well to be without money in a strange land. BU-CHAN-AN said nothing, but soon after bathed his throat with whis-ky, and in this pleasant and courteous ceremony the Princes joined.

Of the religion of this people, O son of Frum, I have said nothing. This silence has arisen not from the unimportance of the subject, but from the impossibility of determining if they have any. It will gratify thee to know that they have many. The difference between the two principal sects is only a question of water, one sprinkling the brow of the convert with a few drops, while the other seizes the believer by the seat of his *toiski* and plunges him into a running stream. For the purposes of purification, the latter is undoubtedly the best, and were a little soap added to the ceremony it would be indeed worthy of praise. Several deputations have waited upon us from the different religions, but as they all seemed to believe that they possessed the true light, and were happy in the thought, we did not endeavor to convert them to the truths of Buddha. For, behold, are there not many roads in Niphon, each of which leads to Jeddo, and may not each man choose that which he pleases? And the arms of Niu Rai are wide spread; to his feet there are many paths: shall we not let this people travel theirs in peace? *Namoo Amadi!* Unintentionally we did violence to the feelings of a female devotee. She presented us with slips of paper like unto the handkerchiefs which our people use, save that words were delineated upon them; this we thought was done in our honor. But, behold, O Son of Frum, when we applied them to our nose, and thanked the giver, the woman was in wrath, and called us un-con-ver-ted-Jews! We have since learned that the papers were "tracts," which are commandments published by order of the Mikado, and given to all strangers that they may be warned against endeavoring to lead this people from the faith of their fathers. This we had no intention of doing, but they were good as handkerchiefs.

It is dark, and the eyes of MOORAGAKE are weary. Commending thee to the care of the Father of the Merciful, I subscribe myself, with renewed assurances of my most distinguished consideration, yours, very truly,

MOORAGAKE AWAGI.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.—The United States brig *Perry*, Lieut.-Commanding R. L. TILGHMAN, arrived at this port yesterday morning, in 58 days from Montevideo and 44 days from St. Catherines, (Brazil.) The *Perry* sailed from Montevideo April 7, and left in that port the United States frigate *Congress*, Flag-Officer SANDS; United States brig *Bainbridge*, Lieut.-Com. WOODHULL, and United States steamer *Pulaski*, Lieut.-Com. MACOMB. The officers and men of the squadron were all well. The United States brig *Dolphin*, Com. STRIBBLING, was daily expected at Montevideo from a cruise on the coast of Brazil. The *Perry* sailed from St. Catherines (Brazil) April 21, and brought from that place four of the crew of the American whaling bark *Tybee*, charged with mutiny and a murderous assault upon their captain. She also brought home four invalids from the Brazil Squadron.

PROTECTION FOR THE PONY EXPRESS.—Senators LANE, GWIN, LATHAM, GREEN, SEBASTIAN and others, lately addressed a note to Secretary FLOYD calling his attention to the depredations which have been committed by the Indians on the emigrant, mail and pony express route between Salt Lake and Carson Valley, and asking for protection. Under date of June, Secretary FLOYD states that he has already issued orders for the protection of the route.

LONDON TOPICS.

The House of Lords and the Paper Duty—The Reform Bill—East India Questions—The British Post-Office—Literary Matters—The Volunteers—The Late Lady Byron—The Fight.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, May 19, 1860.

There is not the smallest doubt that the British Government is in a fix of which no one can at present see the result. Into this they have been placed by the silliness of Lord MONTEAGLE and the astuteness of Lord DERBY. Lord MONTEAGLE, formerly Mr. SPRING RICE, is a Liberal, was once Secretary of State for the Colonies, was Chancellor of the Exchequer in Lord MELBOURNE's Government, and is now permanent Comptroller-General of the Exchequer, a sinecure with a very large salary. This old gentleman has given notice that when the bill for the repeal of the paper duty is brought on in the House of Lords for its second reading on Monday next, he shall move its rejection. No one can tell what could have possibly induced him to take this step. It may have been to show his knowledge of finance, and to pick holes in Mr. GLADSTONE's budget; it may have been out of pure senility; but at all events it is done, and shrewd, far-seeing old Lord DERBY immediately announced his intention of backing up the rejection with all the force at his command. The Conservatives have a clear, distinct and undoubted majority in the Upper House, so that if they hold to their decision the fate of the bill is decided. But various new circumstances have arisen since the night when white-headed old MONTEAGLE threw his bombshell into the Ministerial Party, and frightened the proprietors of the cheap papers into fits by his motion. In the first place, the dignity of the people—by which I mean a very large assemblage, the real *pro/anum vulgus*, and their representatives in the House of Commons—has been aroused, and the question has been mooted as to whether it will be a constitutional proceeding on the part of the Lords to reject this bill. Mooted in various ways has this question been, in public meetings in provincial towns, in a grand gathering at St. Martin's Hall, London,—where big, blustering, good-natured Sergeant PARRY took the chair, and while professing the most intense mildness, hinted broadly that the House of Lords was a humbug, and that we should do better without it;—and where Mr. BRIGHT made one of his effective clap-trap speeches. This meeting was a "screamer;" it was convened by large blue placards, in which the public were invited to attend and discuss the "USURPATION" (the word thrown up in enormous capitals) of the people's privileges by the House of Lords, and it was a very spirited, not to say noisy affair; but, after all, it was quite a mild *soirée* compared to one which came off at the same place last night, the subject being the Reform Bill, where language was used by some of the intelligent working-classes which would have made some of the bewigged old gentlemen in the House of Lords stare with astonishment and wince with fear.

To return, however, to the Paper Duties Repeal bill, it is said that the wording of a resolution passed by the Commons in 1678 clearly specifies "that all aids and supplies to his Majesty in Parliament are the sole gift of the Commons, and all bills for the granting of all such aids and supplies ought to begin with the Commons; and that it is the undoubted right of the Commons to direct, limit and appoint in such bills the ends, purposes, considerations, conditions and limitations of such grants, *which ought not to be changed or altered by the House of Lords.*" Upon this rule all proceedings between the two Houses in matters of supply are ever founded, and it is said that since this knowledge has been arrived at a great change has come over the intentions of the noble Peers in opposition, and that very likely DERBY has counseled MONTEAGLE not to press matters to a division—even, perhaps, to withdraw his motion. At all events the silvery head of old Lord MONTEAGLE, and the shining spectacles of rampant Lord DERBY have been constantly rubbing together during the last week, but whether these conferences bode good or ill to the Ministry, whether a compromise or a *guerre a l'outrance*, this deponent sayeth not.

That wretched Reform bill too, that miserable little abortion of Lord JOHN RUSSELL's, which no one wants and which every one detests—that horrid little measure which PALMERSTON curses in the grand drawing-rooms of Cambridge House, and which MILNER GIBSON objurgates in Hyde Park-square! (Mrs. M. G., fairest patroness of hungry Hungarian exiles, has made him move up there from the pleasant sanctuary of Wilton Crescent.) An amendment is about to be moved to the Johnian bantling—an amendment to the effect that the qualification for counties shall be a rental of £20 a year, and that of boroughs £8. This is to be moved by Sir WILLIAM HAYTER, late whipper-in for the Whigs and PALMERSTON's henchman, his little foot page, his doer of dirty jobs, so that you may depend upon it old PAM himself has a finger in the pie. What the deuce is the old bottle-holder about? he cannot be growing senile? no!—depend upon it he has a very deep game which he intends to play. He does not want the repeal of the paper duty—that must be plain to all intelligent minds—for the *Times* has been working against it tooth and nail, day after day, leader after leader, and the *Times* is PAM's organ, repeating exactly his ideas. If the Lords throw out the bill for the repeal of the paper duty it will be a hard slap in the face for GLADSTONE, who introduced it, and for MILNER GIBSON, who is the President of the Repeal Association, and it will be a question whether one or both of them will not resign office. In any way to touch the Reform bill will be to stamp heavily on Lord JOHN's corns! So that there will be a hornet's nest about the head of the "old 'un;" but he will pull through, doubtless, as he has a thousand times before, and then *vol sictis*, let those who are beaten look out, for all jaunty and jolly and smiling as he is, PAM never forgives an enemy!

"When rogues fall out, honest men come by their own." The truth of this proverb is just now being exhibited in the row which has taken place between WILSON, the Indian Finance Minister, and Sir CHARLES TREVELYAN, the Governor of Madras, which has ended in the death of the latter. WILSON was a hatter, bankrupt twice, the editor of the *Economist*, member for Westbury, and Financial Secretary to the Treasury, one of the ugliest men ever seen, with a huge protruding forehead and bovine head. TREVELYAN was the permanent Secretary to the Treasury, and both were hated with an undying hatred by the clerks; but Sir CHARLES came in for the largest share of opprobrium. He interfered in all petty matters, established a regular tariff for the price of luncheons to be served to the men in the office, and set his face strongly against their reading the newspapers in office hours. I recollect a good story which went the rounds when he first joined the Treasury. He found young D——, son of the Earl of D——, and a great swell, who had been recently appointed to Downing-street, leaning back in his chair and enjoying his *Times*. TREVELYAN stole quietly in, and placed his hand on his shoulder. "My good lad," said he, "if you can find time to read the newspaper, we can spare a clerk!" There is no doubt that the views laid down in TREVELYAN's published Minutes on Indian affairs are perfectly correct. They are supported by Sir PATRICK GRANT, by Hon. R. MALTBY, and Hon. H. A. MORNEHEAD, and all men conversant with the prejudices of Indian natives. There is no doubt that WILSON's scheme of direct taxation may lead to active or passive resistance and insubordination; at all events, to the greatest discontent. But TREVELYAN was a subordinate, and had no right to publish ideas directly in antagonism to those of his official chief. The Government are extremely sorry at being compelled to recall him, and will doubtless find him a berth on his return—perhaps, it has been mooted, the Secretaryship to the Post-office, where all things are in a fearful mess—thus:

Sir ROWLAND HILL is one of the cleverest men of the day; shrewd, clear-headed and far-seeing. He has worked his way step by step, watching the opportunity to thrust in the thin end of his lever, then obtaining the requisite fulcrum and overturning his opponents, stepping into their berths. He ousted easy-going old Col. MABERLY, and became Secretary to the Post-office, with a salary of £2,000 a year. Years previously he had carried his penny-postage scheme, which he had further improved, and all seemed going well with him; he stood highly with the Government, and was a chief favorite with the public. But the HILLS are a large, and by no means a rich family. They hold together, too, on the principle of the bundle of sticks, and ROWLAND thought it necessary to do something for his relatives. He accordingly created the berth of Second Assistant Secretary for his brother FREDERICK HILL, who at that time held the office of Prison Inspector in Scotland, but who had been recently severely snubbed by the Secretary of State for his inquisitorial and arbitrary conduct. This FREDERICK HILL, a silly, shallow, pig-headed man, imbued with absurd ideas of his own importance and position, has been his brother's *bête noire*, and it has frequently required all ROWLAND's shrewdness and tact to pull himself out of scrapes in which FREDERICK's folly had involved him. These were mere departmental troubles, of little moment; but just now a much more serious matter has come to light. The revelations made by the *Times* as to the bad state of the office, and the overworked condition of the letter-carriers, induced Mr. TULLEY, the Chief Assistant Secretary, (in the absence, through illness, of Sir ROWLAND HILL,) to appoint a Committee, consisting of certain principal officers of the Department, to inquire into the truth or falsehood of the *Times'* allegations. Directly the *Times* heard of this Committee, it sneered defiantly, calling it a mere Committee of placemen, who, of course, would back up their own establishment. But the all-wise Thunderer was wrong. The Committee, one of whose principal members was ANTONY TROLLOPE, the novelist, determined to do their duty, and when FREDERICK HILL heard this, in an evil hour he commanded them to take such a course only as they knew would be approved by the authorities. The Committee, like honest men, refused to act on such conditions, and two of their number, TROLLOPE and another, at once resigned. Then came the tug of war. The Chancellor of the Exchequer leagued of the row, and determined to adjudicate on it; he sifted the matter to the bottom, and then completely smashed FREDERICK HILL, begging the two recreant Committee-men to resume their positions, and declaring that no gentleman could have acted otherwise than they had done. It is a painful thing for Hon. Sir ROWLAND HILL, as, in addition to this vexation, he is very ill with something like approaching softening of the brain, and is much mentally distressed at the conduct of one of his daughters, who has recently eloped with her riding master.

There is not very much literary news this week. TOM TAYLOR, the Briareus-handed, who is Secretary to the Board of Health, captain in the volunteers, and the most prolific dramatic author of the day, does not seem to have quite enough to do, so he has just been filling up his leisure by putting together the personal memoranda and correspondence of that recently deceased painter LSAKE. TOM, if you recollect, touched up the autobiography of that head-genius, poor B. R. HAYDON, and he is the art-critic of the *Times*, so that we may define him now as art-necrologist in general. ANTONY TROLLOPE's novel, delayed a week longer than was expected, has appeared and excited great admiration in the critics, though the general opinion is not so very strong in favor of it. The author accounts for this in his opening chapter. The English people don't care about Irish matters seriously put; they are accustomed to funny Irishmen in farces, and to funny Irishmen in LEVER's books, and they won't have them in any other phase. GEORGE SALA's *Baddington Peerage*, originally published in the columns of the *Illustrated Times*, has been republished by STANLEY, after having been touched up by the author. It is very smartly written, and shows a great knowledge of life, but the story is improbable and the action inconsequent. WILKIE COLLINS' serial story of *The Woman in White* has created a greater sensation than I can recollect, especially among the ladies, who are all dying to know the mystery which he manages to keep up so splendidly. It will dramatize finely, and one or two of our stage-scissors and paste-pliers are already at work on it.

The volunteer movement continues to be in the greatest force, and succeeds, despite the absurd jealousy with which it is met in all military circles, and especially at the Horse Guards. To your enlightened citizens it would be impossible to describe the little-mindedness of the regulars in this matter, and unless you saw it you could not believe how they go out of their way to throw obstacles in the progress of the volunteers. As the different corps get on in their drill a very laudable rivalry for excellence arises among them. Perhaps the most perfect in discipline are the Inns of Court, a regiment composed entirely of barristers, who have been nicknamed "The Devil's Own," and whose motto, it is suggested, should be "Retained for the Defence." Next to them I shall place the Civil Service Brigade, which is very strong and very efficient, and which has just been honored by the Prince of Wales accepting its honorary Colonelcy. The Artists' Corps, in which J. E. MILLAIS, A. R. A., is an Ensign, though small, is very efficient; its nickname among the boys is the "Stand-at-Easels." There was to have been a grand inspection yesterday—the day on which we celebrated the Queen's birthday—but luckily it was postponed. The day was thoroughly wet, and the illuminations, which were less numerous than usual, were shorn of much of their splendor by the rain.

Yesterday's obituary contained the name of Lady BYRON, the widow of the great poet—the Miss MILBANKE with whom the young man BYRON solaced himself after the rejection of the boy BYRON by Miss CHAWORTH—and whose matrimonial distresses have been the talk of thousands. What the cause of their separation was everybody has surmised, but only one man in England can say positively, and that man is old Dr. LUSHINGTON, the proctor, who acted as Lady BYRON's adviser in the matter. She is gone, and she was the last of the family. Lady LOVELACE, "ADA, sole daughter of my house and home," died some two years ago; and though there is a feeble Lord BYRON now, who is an equerry, or a gold stick, or a backstairs page, or some other flunkey about the Court, he would hardly be owned as kinsman by the gloomy misanthrope of Newstead Abbey. That gloomy misanthrope's poetry is Mr. MURRAY's finest copyright, and still sells mere largely than that of any of his contemporaries or successors. The story of the man's life, his follies and his wrongs, runs through it all, and there is scarcely a youth in England or America, who, when he hears of Lady BYRON's death, will not recognize her as the person to whom these lovely lines—"Fare thee well! and if forever," were addressed. A quiet, good, retiring, charitable lady has passed away, and from what is known of the tenor of her life, we may well imagine that she had long since forgiven her husband all his conjugal delinquencies, and prayed earnestly to be united to him hereafter.

You will be glad to hear that the great Heenan and Sayers quarrel is decided. Yesterday both men met at *Bell's Life* office, and Mr. DOWLING, the editor and referee, finally induced them to accede to these terms:—that each should have a new belt, and that the old belt should be kept to be fought for by any anxious for the honor—of whom, *entre nous*, J. C. HEENAN will be the first. SAYERS, under any circumstances, will not fight again. E. T. SMITH has engaged them both for sparring at the Alhambra. After they left *Bell's*, they went across the way, arm-in-arm, and had lunch together.

THE CATTLE EPIDEMIC.

Special Meeting at Elizabeth, N. J.

A meeting was held yesterday at the City Hotel, Elizabeth, N. J., which was principally attended by farmers of the vicinity interested in the Cattle epidemic, which, commencing in Massachusetts, has spread through several Eastern States, and has now reached our neighbors across the North River. A report on the subject was received from Mr. C. C. GUNN, of this City, and resolutions in relation thereto, and to the precautions necessary to prevent the spread of the disease, were read and adopted.

Mr. GUNN stated in his report that he had been called to examine a bull which had died after a sickness of three weeks. The right lung was solidified, with firm adhesions of the pleura to the ribs, with pseudo membraneous exudations, and extensive effusion in the cavity of the chest. A cow was slaughtered for examination, which had been sick for one week. Auscultation was resorted to, and the right lung was found to be highly diseased. A *post-mortem* proved such to be the case. Hepatization, with echymosed spots on the surface of the lungs, was also found. Every precaution, the report continues, ought to be used in confining the infected cattle to the locality where the disease exists, and the bodies of the deceased cattle, when buried, should be well covered up with lime. The cattle should be carefully watched every day by their respective owners, and the first symptom, the dry, husky cough, should be the sign for their removal from the herd.

A resolution was adopted pledging the New-Jersey State Agricultural Society to raise $1,000, or other sum that may be required, for the purpose of paying the expenses of an inquiry into "the origin, progress, and present state of the disease in cattle, known as pneumonia—what means are best adapted to prevent its spreading, and what remedies are most successful in case of attack;—also for the dissemination of such information as may be obtained on the subject, by publication in newspaper, and in pamphlet form, for the benefit of society at large; the treatise, so prepared and published, to embrace the following topics and considerations:

1. When and under what circumstances the disease first appeared in Europe.
2. The time and manner of its introduction into Massachusetts, and its progress in that State.
3. All that is known of its introduction and progress in New-Jersey.
4. Symptoms of the disease and its contagious character.
5. The difficulty of ascertaining the length of time that elapses between the inception and full development of the disease.
6. The importance of averting its ravages by promptly inclosing herds that are infected in lots where it is impossible they can come in contact with other cattle, and that in districts where the disease is known to exist, they be kept in lots inclosed in the middle of the farm, or in places secure from communication with other cattle.
7. The enforcement of the prohibition of cattle running at large in the roads.
8. Refraining from the purchase of cattle from other States which have had, for six months previous, any opportunity of contracting the disease, or whose previous location for six months is unknown.
9. That mode of treatment has been found most efficacious after animals have been attacked.
10. What the Society appoint a committee to attend and have charge of the enumerated duties, and of the printing and publishing the information deemed necessary, and of the circulation of pamphlets generally throughout the State, and by calling together Township Committees or Township meetings, (if deemed necessary,) recommending that they adopt such precautionary measures as are required to avert and eradicate the disease.
11. That the Society assume the expense incurred by the Committee, of which an accurate account shall be kept, and that application be made to the Legislature, at its next session, for remuneration to the Society for the expense so incurred.

A Committee, consisting of N. N. Halstead, Esq., President of the Association; Benjamin Haynes, Esq., Vice-President; B. W. Cooper, A. M. Treadwell and Daniel Haltsman was appointed to carry the above resolutions into effect.

The meeting will reassemble at the call of the President.

THE DISEASE IN NEW-ENGLAND.

A stringent bill has passed the Legislature of Rhode Island to prevent the importation of cattle from Massachusetts during the pendency of the cattle disease. Gov. HALL, of Vermont, is visiting the infected district in this State, for an investigation of the cattle disease.

In consequence of the appearance of the cattle disease in Holden, the Mayor of Worcester has issued a proclamation recommending the complete isolation of individual herds in that city, at whatever cost or inconvenience to the owners. He also advises the erection of fences to separate contiguous pastures by the space of twenty-five or thirty feet, and that cattle be driven upon the highways only in cases of absolute necessity, and then that contact with others be carefully avoided. Policemen are stationed upon the streets leading from the infected districts, with peremptory instructions to prevent all ingress of cattle upon any pretext whatever. It is supposed that 75 or 100 head of cattle in Holden have been exposed to the disease. JOHN E. CHAFFEE, of Holden, was examined before the Legislative Committee on Tuesday in reference to the disease in that town. He stated that two cows had been killed, one of which showed marked signs of the disease and the other not. One man let his cattle run in the road after exposure, saying that he believed the disease was a humbug. The witness doubted the practicability of isolation. The authorities would not know where to commence.

A drover from Manchester, N. H., purchased for a low price at Deering, some cattle that had been exposed to the disease, and attempted to drive them to Manchester in the night. They were discovered while passing through Weare, and ordered to stop. The drover refused peremptorily, and pushed ahead. Before he had gone a mile the South Weare vigilants were out in full force, took the cattle, drove them back to Deering Centre about sunrise, and gave warning that no more attempts of this kind must be undertaken. The Weare men made quite a military display of clubs, spades and guns.

THE AGITATION GROUNDLESS.

The *Spirit of the Times* treats with great contempt the proceedings of the Legislature and *savans* of Massachusetts concerning the cattle disease. It says:

"What is pleura-pneumonia? It is bad enough, but it need not frighten a whole country from their propriety; it is only a disease, which can be handled as well as many other diseases; *it is neither contagious nor infectious*, and is brought on generally by colds, produced by low, ill-ventilated, heated stables, with sudden exposure to cold, blighting, easterly winds, getting wet on their backs, and standing out behind hedges, and then again placed in those abominable, low, close, confined, heated, and ill-ventilated dens, unfitted to sustain animal life. Instead of killing them, turn them out, and let them live or die; they will pick a little grass, and most of them will recover. We are surprised at a man like Mr. DADD ordering suspected animals to be destroyed, and paying the parties for their loss.

We have a friend here who has had considerable experience with pleura-pneumonia; he had, about twenty years ago, some sixty head of valuable milch cows affected, and many of them were a total loss. He called together a number of his friends, medical men, (not farriers,) and, with the assistance of an able veterinary surgeon, had them properly treated, the same as if they had been human beings, and, as soon as the climax was over, he pulled down his cow-houses and built one twenty-two feet high, with four feet before and four feet behind the cows, so that they stood at an even temperature Winter and Summer, and he had no more of pleura-pneumonia. We recommend the people in Massachusetts to adopt this common-sense maxim, and they will soon be rid of this cattle disease; but if they rely upon Commissioners and a public fund, they will have but a broken reed for their support.

We recommend that the fund subscribed for wilfully murdering cattle be applied to the more legitimate purpose of paying talent for the recovery and prevention of disease.

Interesting from Ruatan.

RATIFICATION OF THE TREATY BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND HONDURAS—ENGLAND SURRENDERS THE SOVEREIGNTY OF THE BAY ISLANDS.

The New-Orleans papers of the 2d contain late advices from Ruatan. The fact of the ratification of the treaty between Great Britain and Honduras, recognizing the sovereignty of the latter over the Bay Islands, and of the exchange of the ratifications at Comayagua on the 21st ult., was announced to the people of Ruatan in a public meeting held at Port McDonald on the same day. The acting-Lieutenant-Governor, THOMAS PRICE, read the following proclamation from the Queen:

Whereas, we have found ourselves constrained by paramount motives of State policy to separate the Islands of Ruatan, Utilla, Bonacca, Barbarat, Helena and Morat, commonly known as the Colony of Bay Islands, from their connection with our Crown; and, whereas, we have in furtherance thereof entered into a treaty with the Government of Honduras, by virtue of which the said islands are to be ceded to the said Republic; now therefore having received information that the ratifications of the said treaty have been exchanged at Comayagua, we do hereby declare that on early day, of which further notice will be given, proceed to cede the said islands to such commissioners as may be appointed by the President of the said Republic to receive them. Upon which cession our sovereignty in and over the said colony will cease and determine, and our loving subjects, and other inhabitants of the Bay Islands, will now take notice thereof, and govern themselves accordingly.

Witness, His Excellency THOMAS PRICE, Esq., Lieutenant-Governor of the said Colony of Bay Islands, this the twenty first day of May, in twenty-third year of our reign, Anno que Domini, one thousand eight hundred and sixty. [L. S.] Signed, T. PRICE.

Gov. PRICE then made a brief address, assuring the people that every protection would be afforded to those who might desire to continue under the protection of the British Crown. Such persons would be provided with a free passage for themselves and their movable property to any part of the British Islands that they might select, where Crown lands would be reserved for them. All those desiring to avail themselves of this offer were requested to make known their will to the Presiding Magistrate within one month. Those who preferred to remain need not fear that their interests would be prejudiced.

On the adjournment of this meeting, another was held by the people of the Island, and, amid considerable enthusiasm, they voted a demand of the following guarantees from Honduras:

Guarantees required from the Government of Honduras, for the purpose of perpetuating the civil and religious liberty of the inhabitants of the Bay Islands, and for the purpose of transmitting the same, unimpaired, to their posterity:

ARTICLE I. The ratification of all the titles to lands we now possess.

ART. II. The right to acquire more lands by purchase or other legal method.

ART. III. The form of grants and transfer to be preserved as at present, substituting instead of the present style, the name or style of the existing authority.

ART. IV. The price of land and mode of assignment to remain as at present, until altered by an Assembly, chosen by the inhabitants of the Islands.

ART. V. The right to choose representatives to regulate the local laws of the Islands.

ART. VI. That no tax or loan shall be levied on the Islands or the harbors thereof, without the consent of the inhabitants.

ART. VII. That no troops shall be quartered on the Island without the consent of the inhabitants.

ART. VIII. Freedom from forced military service for ourselves and the laborers in our employ.

ART. IX. The use of the English language in the courts and public records of the Islands.

ART. X. Freedom of ingress and egress without a system of passports.

ART. XI. The free enjoyment of religious worship, according to the dictates of our consciences.

ART. XII. That the laws and customs prevailing in the Islands, while under British jurisdiction, shall remain in force until altered by the inhabitants.

ART. XIII. That we shall be governed by resident officers of our own choosing, and have the right of holding public mass meetings to discuss our real or supposed grievances.

Capture of the French Slave Bark.

ACCOUNT OF THE CHASE BY AN OFFICER OF THE CRUSADER.

ON BOARD U. S. STEAMER CRUSADER,
Off Key West, May 25, 1860.

* * * The *Seminole* and *Crusader* parted company off Key Sal, and the *Crusader* dashed off with a flowing sheet towards the north coast of Cuba. After falling in with land she proceeded eastward overhauling everything like sail as far as Lobos Key Light. You are aware that the old Bahama Channel, just at this point, is extremely narrow, only some eleven miles wide, and here Capt. MAFFITT determined to remain for the present, well knowing that nothing could pass to the westward without being detected. In ten days over sixty vessels had been chased, and all those showing American colors visited. The sound judgment of our commander was at last verified. On the 23d of May, while cruising near the coast of Cuba, Lobos Light bearing about N. N. W., a sail was reported to the southward and eastward, and we gave chase. The singular movement of the vessel in sight aroused suspicion. When she saw the steamer heading for her her course was altered, and she stood in for the land, under every available stitch of canvas. Orders were passed at once on the *Crusader* to make sail. The shrill pipe of the boatswain's mates had scarcely ceased, when the crew were on deck at their stations, with the alacrity which at once indicates the state of discipline of a ship. Sheet after sheet of canvas was quickly spread; and the *Crusader*, dashing the water from her bows, bore down upon the chase. The rapidity with which we came up must have shown those in charge of the chase that it was impossible to escape, and she hauled up again on her original course. As we came down she hoisted the French flag, in answer to the British ensign, which at that time we wore. After reaching the desired position, "red cross" was hauled down, and the "stars and stripes" substituted. At the same time one of our boats was lowered. The bark (for such she was) likewise hauled down her flag, without substituting any in its place, and she was boarded without any colors flying; this was accounted for afterwards. In a moment after Lieut. DUNCAN reached the side and got on board. He waved his handerchief, and we were at once put in possession of the desirable knowledge that the bark was a slaver and our prize. If we had required confirmation, it would have been given in the shape of three or four hundred woolly heads, which at that moment were stuck over the vessel's side. The American flag was soon after hoisted at the slaver's peak, amidst every demonstration of joy from the negroes. They yelled, clapped their hands, and, as the Englishmen would say, "*went on like mad.*"

In a short time after the capture, the captain, supercargo and crew of the slaver were transferred to the *Crusader*. You can scarcely imagine a more filthy, ragged set of outcasts, than these sailors appeared to be. Several were sick with the coast fever. They all seemed, however, to take their capture as a matter of course. One came over the side eating a box of "sardines."

When Capt. MAFFITT demanded of the captain of the slaver, under what nationality he surrendered, his reply was, "*None, Sare*—I sunk my papers and my colors to the bottom of the sea. I surrender myself and vessel to the laws affecting the Slave trade. I ask for nothing."

The bark *was* French, and *he* is a Frenchman by birth. The captain appears to be rather a clever fellow, after all. He takes his misfortune with the best humor possible, and says, "To-day cloudy—to-morrow the sun shine again. Clouds come and go, but the sun shines the same. It was my fate." The bark is a vessel of about 400 tons, well built, and, at this time, tolerably well found. She has on board about 600 negroes, and, considering the long passage of 44 days which they have had, they are remarkably healthy and in good condition. The amusing part of this capture is, that the day before the *Mohawk* (from the captain's description) bore down on him, but upon his hoisting French colors, she went off about her business. We are all very much delighted at our good luck, and intend trying it again.

BROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—An adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors was held last evening. A communication was received from the Superintendents of the Poor calling attention to the fact that they had received no money from fines imposed for intoxication in Police Courts, as required by the Metropolitan Police act. The matter was referred to a special Committee, with authority to examine the law and report what action, if any, is necessary in the premises. Considerable routine business was transacted, when the Board adjourned.

EXPENSES OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT.—A meeting of the Joint Board of Aldermen and Supervisors was held on Monday evening, when the Mayor submitted the following estimates of amounts necessary to be raised by tax to carry on the City Government another year:

Amount to be raised in tax of 1860 for interest on City bonds	$84,313 85
Amount for principal of City bonds	144,412 98
Amount for principal and interest on certificates—	
Principal	71,596 85
Interest	5,348 29
Salaries	91,150 00
For Police purposes	217,450 00
For School purposes	178,100 00
General purposes	126,409 00
Lighting streets	101,500 00
Fire Department, W. D	35,025 00
Fire Department, E. D	43 310 00
Total	$1,099,104 88
Estimated City Revenue	$117,400 00

In addition, over $50,000 are to be raised for street cleaning and repairing wells and pumps.

The statement was referred to a joint committee of five from each Board, when the Board adjourned for two weeks.

A FEMALE BURGLAR.—About 2 o'clock yesterday morning a woman, named MARY BROWN, forcibly entered the house of A. MULLIGAN, corner of Fourth-avenue and Eighth-street, when her presence was discovered, and a policeman was called. As the officer approached her she ran up stairs, and attempted to escape by jumping from a window in the second story, but she was severely injured by the fall, and was captured without difficulty.

A STRIKE.—Some misunderstanding occurred yesterday between the contractor and workmen employed on the Union-street sewer, which resulted in a strike for higher wages. The laborers then left with a determination to make the strike general on the different sections in the city, but after endeavoring to coerce several gangs of men to join them and failing, and the Police interfering to prevent a disturbance, the strikers dispersed.

ENCUMBERED STREETS.—The streets in South Brooklyn are not the most attractive in the world at present. Sewers have been completed in some of them, and the workmen have left such streets covered with piles of stones, rubbish, &c. It would be a great benefit to the community to have all nuisances of this kind promptly removed.

THE COURTS.—City Court Calendar for this day—Nos. 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42. Circuit Court Calendar—Nos. 18, 21, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 35, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45.

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HALL—GREENFIELD.—In this City, on Monday, June 4, at the Church of the Holy Communion, by Rev. W. A. Muhlenberg, Mr. CHAS. HALL, of Newark, to Miss SARAH V. B. GREENFIELD, of this City.

HUNTER—FANNING.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Dr. Gillette, Mr STEVEN V. A. HUNTER to Miss FRANCIS AMELIA, daughter of Wm. Fanning, Esq.

SLOANE—PETRIE.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Mr. Bannard, DOUGLAS SLOANE to CATHERINE, daughter of James S. Petrie, all of this City.

COLLINGWOOD—BURNHAM.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Gardiner Spring, D. D., FRANCIS COLLINGWOOD, of Elmira, N. Y., to ELIZA W., daughter of Daniel Bennett.

COLVILL—STEVENS.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Dr. Potts, ALFRED COLVILL to CAROLINE WELD, eldest daughter of Mr. John A. Stevens, all of this City.

BISSONS—HANNA.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Chas. E. Harris, of the Greene st. M. E. Church, Mr. JOSEPH BISSONS to Miss AGNES HANNA, both of this City.

CARHART—WOOLSEY.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. Theodore D. Woolsey, President of Yale College, SAMUEL FISHER CARHART, of Susquehanna County, Penn., to ANNE ELIZA, daughter of the late William Cecil Woolsey of this City.

CRAWFORD—PALMER.—In this City, on Monday, June 4, by Rev. J. L. G. McKown, EMERICK CRAWFORD to RACHAEL ANN PALMER, both of Westchester County.

SALMON—MULLANY.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, at St Stephen's Church, by Rev. J. Cummings, D. D., JAMES SALMON to CATHARINE ANN MARIA, eldest daughter of the late Hugh Mullany, all of this City.

WALKER—WATSON.—In this City, on Tuesday, June 5, by Rev. ID. Taylor, EVAN T. WALKER to MARY J., daughter of John Watson, Esq., all of this City.

BROOKS—SILL.—On Wednesday, June 6, at the Berean Baptist Church, by Rev. Dr. Dowling, Mr. CHARLES H. BROOKS, of New-York, to Miss MARY E., daughter of Mr. Horace Sill, of Brooklyn.

VAN NEST—WESTERVELT.—In Brooklyn, on Sunday, June 5, by Rev. Marcius S. Hutton, JOHN S. VAN NEST, of New-York, to JOSEPHINE, youngest daughter of the late James W. Westervelt, of New-York.

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HARDWARE AUCTION NOTICE.—JOHN E. VAN ANTWERP'S SON will sell on THURSDAY, June 7, at 10 o'clock, at No. 73 William-st, a large and varied assortment of English, German and American hardware, &c., comprising 90 gross Jackson's and Wm. Sanderson's table cutlery, of various styles; also, 10 000 percussion caps of C. D's U. S. and Starkie's waterproof, all in fine order; also, 150 pairs single and double pistols; also, 4 cases (68 dozen) axe-helves; also, 75 dozen Rothenham's cast-steel 26 inch hand-saws; also, 174 M. rivets, ¾ and ⅞-lb. papers; also, 15 gross Locks and staples, 60 dozen cut tacks, 4 ounce to 16 dozen fine cut brads, 48 gross cross steel shoe tacks, 17s lbs. broom twine, 300 papers glaziers' points, &c. &c. Also, 230 dozen cast steel files, assorted sizes, all in fine order and magnificently done up together with part of the stock of a retailer, embracing japanned and tin ware great variety; wood and willow ware, britannia and tinned iron spoons, spice boxes, cake slo., plated goods, &c., &c. Terms cash, bankable money.

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HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. WILL SELL at auction, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, June 6 and 7, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom, No. 23 Nassau-st., elegant sale of Carrara marble statuary, &c., consisting of Hebe, Grecian and Neapolitan beautiful urns and vazzas, marble fruit dishes, elegant marble fountains, with serpent handles; card receivers, supported by swans; elegant carved figures, under glass shades; dancing girls, Venus, after Canova, the three Graces, Innocence, marble fruit, large vases, varying from 2 to 8 feet high; carved Roman Bardiglio vases; also, about 40 pieces of real Carrara busts and groups, all being the importation of Signor G. B. Pandolfini. Persons purchasing at this sale can have their goods packed at a trifling expense, to go to any part of the world.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

WILL SELL AT AUCTION, ON TUESDAY, May 29, 1860, at 12½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, in the City of New-York, $0 Bonds of $1,000 each, Nos. 245 to 304 inclusive, City of Milwaukee 7 per cent. (Municipal Sinking Fund,) dated July 20, 1857, payable Aug. 1, 1877; interest coupons attached from Feb. 1, 1858; interest payable in New-York, February and August. Purchaser to pay accrued interest.

The above sale is adjourned to TUESDAY, 29th inst., at same hour and place. Dated May 22, 1860

The above sale is further adjourned to TUESDAY, June 12, at the same hour and place. Dated May 29, 1860.

J. T. HUNGERFORD, Auctioneer.

AT AUCTION.—MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD furniture at public auction THIS DAY, (Thursday,) at the brown-stone residence, No. 70 West 25th-st., near 6th-av., sale commencing at 10½ o'clock precisely, consisting of drawing-room suites, piano-forte, fully guaranteed; pier and mantel mirrors, bronzes, statuary, English Brussels and ingrain carpets, oil-paintings, lace curtains, rosewood and mahogany chamber furniture, bureaus, bedsteads, wardrobes, hair and spring mattresses, bedding, &c. Also, a great assortment of basement and kitchen furniture. Sale peremptory.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer, Salesroom 141 Broadway

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—BY E. & F. H. SCHENCK, THIS DAY, 7th inst., at 10½ o'clock, at their salesroom, No. 141 Broadway, new and second hand furniture, consisting in part of elegant rosewood, mahogany and black walnut parlor suites in brocatel, hair-cloth or plush; rosewood, marble-top side or corner etageres, secretary and library bookcases, centre and pier tables; French plate pier and mantel glasses, Brussels and ingrain carpets, carved and plain rosewood, mahogany and black walnut bedsteads, marble-top bureaus, washstands and commodes, black walnut and oak sideboard, dining-room and office chairs, oak and black walnut extension tables, lounges and easy chairs, mattresses, bedding &c.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.

WAGONS AND HARNESS, BY E. & F. A. SCHENCK, on FRIDAY, 8th inst., at 1 o'clock, at their salesroom, No. 141 Broadway, one elegant box wagon, for four persons, built to order by Youngs of 20th st., and has been used but three weeks, one four-seat wagon, built to order in the best manner, and warranted for one year, has never been used; one three-seat wagon, and several light top and road wagons; also, double and single harness.

A. M. MERWIN, Auctioneer.

BY BANGS, MERWIN & CO.—IRVING Buildings, Nos. 594 and 596 Broadway, near the Metropolitan Hotel, FRIDAY EVENING, June 8, at 7½ o'clock—Valuable library, being the entire miscellaneous portion of the private collection of the late John O. Halsted, Esq., (recently deceased,) comprising fine library copies of the best editions of standard books on various subjects, including many that are scarce, and a variety of recent publications, &c.

J. MASON TAYLOR, Auctioneer.

AT AUCTION.—THIS DAY, AT NO. 58 WEST 13th-st., all the contents of the house, viz. furniture, carpets, all bedtings, ingrain, stair, crockery, silver and glass ware, elegant piano-forte, &c., sale commences at 10½ o'clock precisely.

AUCTION SALES.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.—ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell THIS DAY, (Thursday, June 7,) at 12½ o'clock, at his stock salesroom No. 52 William-st., near Wall:

Shares.		Shares.	
50	Chatham Bk hyp	$25	10 Bank of Sing Sing	$100
50	Lat City Bk	50	40 Homestead Ins Co	100
40	Maline Bank	50	20 Harmony Ins Co	50
40	Brevoort Ins Co	50	10 Firemen's Ins Co	17
23	Lorillard Ins Co	25	20 Home Ins	10
26	Howard Ins	50	15 East River Ins Co	15
50	Metropolitan Ins	100	20 Columbia Mar. Ins	50
30	Kings County Ins	20	30 Equitable Ins	35
40	Amer. Exchan'e Ins	100	60 N Y. Consol'd Stage	25
20	Resolute Ins Co	100	35 Equitable L. As Soc.	100
20	Pa. Bit C. & I'n Co	50	40 Adriatic Ins Co	25
20	Art zans' Ins Co	100	50 Phœnix Ins Co	50
40	Irving Ins Co	25	35 Jefferson Ins Co	33
40	N. Y. Corn Ex Co	25	10 Commonwealth Ins	100
25	Peter Cooper Ins Co	20	20 Grocers' Ins Co	50
55	Goodhue Ins Co	100	20 Corn Exch. Ins Co	50

$6 000 Trevorton Coal and Railroad 1st M. 6 per ct. Bds.
3 000 Missouri state 6 per cent Bonds.
6 000 Sacramento City 6 per cent. Bonds.
4,000 Brooklyn City 6 per cent. Water Loan Bonds.
1,000 Penn Bituminous Coal and Iron Co. 6 per ct Bds.

Next regular sale on MONDAY, June 11. Regular Auction Sales of Stocks and Bonds every MONDAY and THURSDAY, or every day whenever required, at 12½ o'clock, at the Stock Salesroom, No. 52 William st., or Merchants' Exchange as desired. Stocks and Bonds bought and sold at private sale, and at the Brokers' Board.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY,
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THE PROPERTY OF THEODORE H. HILTON, ESQ. AN EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITY FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

W. B. WESTCOTT & CO. will sell THIS DAY, (Thursday,) June 7, at 10½ o'clock, at the elegant private residence No 152 West 21st-st., near 7th-av. the entire magnificent furniture of the house which is replete with every elegance in furniture and rare and costly works of art, all of which will be peremptorily sold, and must be removed immediately from the premises, consisting in part of superb rosewood parlor furniture, viz.: Magnificent full suites solid rosewood, comprising eighteen pieces, covered in rich brocade, with slip covers, made to order two months ago by J. Terfass; 7½-octave rosewood pianoforte, used but two months; magnificent painted and pier mirrors, etageres, superb tables, Turkish furniture, en suite; superb marble and bronze statuary mantel vases, rich chandeliers, French workstands, pearl inlaid; reception chairs, French, gold, and ormolu clocks, velvet carpets, lace and silk curtains, &c., with a most complete assortment of beautiful rosewood chamber furniture, rosewood wardrobes bedsteads, bureaus, superb hair mattresses, &c.; dining-room—extension-table, oak chairs, marble buffet, with a complete and elegant variety of rich silver-ware, French, China ruby, and crystal cut glass, ivory handled knives, kitchen utensils, &c. Sale positive, rain or shine. Catalogues at house. Deposits required of purchasers. House to rent low to a responsible tenant, furnished or unfurnished; possession immediately.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.

SUPERB LADIES' SADDLE PONY.

By E. & F. H. SCHENCK, on FRIDAY, 8th inst., at 1 o'clock, at their salesroom No. 141 Broadway, an elegant long-tail dapple chestnut pony, 14½ hands high, six years old, warranted in every way, perfectly sound, kind and gentle, and without fault or blemish; has been used by a lady, and is, without exception, the handsomest lady's horse in this City; unsurpassed for beauty and action. He may be seen at Messrs. WHITE & GOWING'S stable in Irving-place, between 17th and 18th sts., until 12 o'clock on Friday. To persons wishing a fine lady's horse, an examination of him will repay them.

JOSEPH HEGEMAN, Auctioneer.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8.—AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M., at the Central salesrooms Willoughby, corner of Pearl-st. Regular weekly sale—3 pianos, 2 book cases, mahogany wardrobe, together with a general assortment of household furniture, books, carpets, &c.

JOHN H. BURLEY, Auctioneer.

WILL SELL THIS DAY AT 2 O'CLOCK at 444 Canal-st., Bureaus, Bedsteads, Chairs, Tables, Sofas, Sofa-beds, Mattresses, Feather Beds, Brussels, Three-ply and Ingrain Carpets; Cutlery, Kitchenware, Pianos, &c.

JOHN P. MONTGOMERY, Auctioneer.

600 CASES BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS AT AUCTION on THURSDAY, June 7, at 10½ o'clock, at the store of J. F. Davis & CO., No. 16 Courtlandt-st., prime fresh goods, adapted to City or country trade.

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RATIFICATION MEETING,

The Republicans of the City of New-York and its vicinity are invited to meet at

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN

AND

HANNIBAL HAMLIN

for President and Vice-President of the United States.

The meeting will be addressed by

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Gen. W. CURTIS, WM. M. EVARTS,
E. D. LAFIELD SMITH, Gen. JAMES A. NYE,
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THE UNDERSIGNED, IN COMPLIANCE WITH the "Act in relation to the sale of bottles used by the manufacturers and bottlers of mineral water, porter, ale, &c., as amended March 24th, 1860," caution all persons from using, selling or buying any of the following-named bottles—marked "Ales, Bar o—Mineral Water," and "Alex. Eagle, 1860, Mineral water."

ALEXANDER EAGLE,
May 16, 1860. No. 70 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—ALL PERSONS having claims against the late firm of PALMER & MILLER, or MICHAEL MILLER, are requested to present the same to the undersigned at No. 22 Pine-st., New-York, at the office of J. A. Van Rees & Son, for adjustment.

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LOFTS WANTED—FOR STORAGE OF DRY goods in the vicinity of the Park, either side. Address Box No. 2,686 Post-office, stating dimensions, location and lowest price.

NOTICE.—THE CORNER-STONE OF THE BETHany Baptist Church edifice, now erecting on 55th-st., near Lexington-av., will be laid with appropriate services on THURSDAY of this week, (June 7,) at 3 o'clock P. M. Rev. Drs. LATHROP, WESTON, and HAGUE will deliver interesting addresses on the occasion. The Baptist friends and public in general are cordially invited to attend.

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A. CARD.

TO PROPERTY HOLDERS IN THE 19TH WARD.

J. J. SMITH & CO. having opened an office at No. 765 3d-av. for the sale exchange, renting and insuring property, loaning money on bond and mortgage, and collecting rents and interest, solicit the patronage of property holders of the above ward, and others requiring their services.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET AT WILLIAMSBURGH—The three-story brick dwelling-house and adjoining lot No. 38 South 9th-st., south side, between 2d and 3d sts.; also, the two lots in the immediate rear on South 10th-st.; location very pleasant and convenient, being only three minutes' walk from the ferry to Peck-slip. This property combines the advantages of a City and country residence, being stocked with choice cherry, apricot and pear trees, grape-vines, and an abundance of fine currant bushes, in addition to which it is embellished with an ornamental flower garden. For particulars apply on the premises, or to R. BERRY, at the Tradesmen's Bank, No. 177 Chatham-st.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT AUCTION—By order of Executor's Referee, &c.:

WALL AND BROAD STS.—The large and valuable plot of ground, with the buildings thereon, Nos. 23, 25 and 25½ Wall and No. 3, 5 and 7 Broad-st.

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HOUSE FOR SALE.—A THREE-STORY brown-stone front house, with basement and undercellar, now being finished by days' work in the most substantial manner; located on Lexington-av.; would take in part payment building material. Apply at No. 189 3d-av., to JOHN D. OTTIWELL, or JOSEPH DE LATANTE.

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OFFICE No 16 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, June 5, 1860.
At an election held on MONDAY, June 4, the following gentlemen were elected Directors of the Company for the ensuing year:

DIRECTORS.

Jacob Brouwer, John D. Ward, Nehemiah Knight,
Russell Stebbins, James Thompson, Nelson Runyon,
E. L. Marsh, Chas. H. Clayton, Daniel Sutterfield,
S. Foulke, P. A. Thompson, Thos. W. Hutchins,
C. C. Satterlee, Theo. Anthony, John H. Tatman,
Joseph Jamison, G. B. Satterlee, Edward Gothout,
Wm. Whitewright, T. C. Chardavoyne, John J. McLaren.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board held this day, JACOB BROUWER was unanimously reelected President for the ensuing year.
LIVINGSTON SATTERLEE, Secretary.

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LOAN FOR $1,200,000 FOR THE DEficiency in the Sinking Fund, under Section three, Article seven, of the Constitution.
The Commissioners of the Canal Fund, by virtue of the Act entitled "An Act to provide means to support the Government," passed April 12, 1855, and in accordance with section three of Article seven of the Constitution, hereby give notice that sealed proposals will be received at the Canal Department until the 26th day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, for a loan of TWELVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS, for which transferable certificates of stock will be issued in the name of the people of the State of New-York, to the credit of the Sinking Fund, under section three, Article seven of the Constitution, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum, payable quarterly on the first days of January, April, July and October, in each year, and the principal reimbursable on the 1st day of January, 1887. It is to be understood that the Commissioners are to be at liberty to take a less sum, if the offers are not such as, in their opinion, are advantageous to the interest of the State. The proposals may be for the whole or any part of said loan not less than $5,000. All proposals to be sealed up and indorsed "Loan for the Sinking Fund," and inclosed in an envelope directed to the Auditor of the Canal Department, Albany.
The money will be required to be paid five per cent. on the acceptance of the proposal, and the balance on the 30th day of June next.
Payments to be made by depositing the same to the credit of the "Treasurer of the State, on account of the Canal Fund," in the Manhattan Company, New-York, or the New-York State Bank, in the City of Albany.
Interest on the loan will commence on the first day of July next, and the holders of the stock residing in the First and Second Judicial Districts, and those residing out of the State, will receive the interest on the Stocks held by them, quarterly, at the Manhattan Company in the City of New-York; and all other Stockholders at the New-York State Bank, in the City of Albany.
By order of the Board of Canal Commissioners, dated Canal Department, Albany, May 3, 1860.
ROBERT CAMPBELL, Lieutenant Governor,
ROBERT DENNISTON, Comptroller,
PHILLIP DORSHEIMER, Treasurer,
CHARLES G. MYERS, Attorney-General.

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LEATHER MANUFACTURER'S BANK—NEW-YORK, June 5, 1860.—At the annual election held on the 4th inst., the following named persons were duly elected Directors of this Bank for the ensuing year, viz.:
WILLIAM H MACY, WM. DEPEW
JAMES MEINELLI, R. AUGUST WITTHAUS,
JONATHAN THORNE, R. SANDS TUCKER,
JNO. P. DESMILL, THOS. FRASER,
G. WINTHROP GRAY, SIDNEY MASON,
WM. H. RUSSELL, JOSEPH V. ONATIVIA,
RICHARD P. BRUFF,
And as inspectors of the next election,
OLIVER B. TWEEDY, SAMUEL BARSTOW,
RICHARD STOUT.
At a meeting of the Board this day, WILLIAM H. MACY was unanimously reelected President, and NICHS. F. PALMER appointed Cashier.
By order of the Board,
WM. H. MACY, President.
N. F. PALMER, Cashier.

NOTICE.—TO THE FIRST MORTGAGE BONDholders of the New-Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company: Notice is hereby given that in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company, adopted April 21, 1857, inviting a sinking fund, proposals will be received at the office of said Company, in New Orleans, La., up to the last day of June next, inclusive, for the purchase of First Mortgage Bonds of the Company to the amount of fifty thousand dollars. On the day above named, the bids in the form of sealed proposals will be opened by the Board of Directors and purchases made to the above-named extent (payable in dollars at the Citizens' Bank of Louisiana,) from those whose bids are most favorable to the Company, the Board reserving the right to reject all bids over par if they deem proper.
RICHARD S. CHARLES, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD CO.,
No. 28 Warren-st., NEW-YORK, May 9, 1860.
TO THE HOLDERS OF THE SECOND MORTGAGE BONDS OF THIS COMPANY.—All parties who have not availed themselves of the privilege of extending, in accordance with the provisions of September 15, 1859, and who desire to do so, will oblige the Company by presenting their bonds for extension as soon as possible, in order that the arrangement may be completed before the 16th of June next.
C. O. CLARK, Treasurer.

RHODE ISLAND EXCHANGE BANK.—Pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court entered upon the 16th day of March, 1860, the holders of the bills of the Rhode Island Exchange Bank of East Greenwich, are requested to deposit the same with the Receiver, at the Greenwich Bank, East Greenwich, on or before the 20th day of August, 1860, to be entitled to a dividend of the assets of the Bank.
JOHN T. KNOWLES,
MARCH 27, 1860. Receiver.

NEW-YORK CONSOLIDATED STAGE COMPANY.—The annual election of Directors of this Company will be held on MONDAY, the 11th inst., between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, at the office of the Company, in 39 1-2-st., between Broadway and 7th-av.
J. CAMPBELL, Jr., Treasurer.
NEW-YORK, June 1, 1860.

BOOKS ARE NOW OPEN AT THIS BANK for subscription to $100,000 of the Capital Stock of the Union Bank of Missouri, which will amount already subscribed to all make paid up Capital on 1st January, 1861, $1,000,000. A statement of the condition of the Union Bank can be seen at the Bank of the State of New-York.
G. W. DUKER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—OFFICE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 2 Wall-st., New-York, May 29, 1860.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) Per Cent., payable on demand.
R. W. BLEECKER, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE HOWARD INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, May 30, 1860.
DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have declared a semi-annual Dividend of Ten per Cent. upon the capital stock, payable on and after Monday, June 4, 1860.
HENRY A. OAKLEY, Secretary.

BROADWAY BANK, NEW-YORK, May 26, 1860.
ELECTION.—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Bank, and for Inspectors of the same, for ensuing election, will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of June next. Polls open from 12 M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
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SECOND DAY—STANDING COMMITTEES—RECEPTION OF REPORTS—PROGRESS OF THE ORDER.

At 9½ o'clock the Grand Lodge assembled. Present, M. W. JOHN L. LEWIS, Grand Master. Officers and members as before.

A large increase of delegates, making over 1,000 present, and numbers of visiting brethren, were present this morning.

The Grand Lodge was opened in ample form, and with prayer, by R. W. and Rev. R. S. SCHOONMAKER.

The Standing Committees were then appointed by the Grand Master.

On motion of R. W. Bro. PHILIPS, that when the G. L. adjourns to-day, it shall stand adjourned until to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 9 o'clock.

R. W. Bro. KING then read the report of the delegates to the National Masonic Congress, for the purpose of establishing a National Congress, clothed with limited and well-defined powers. R. W. Bro. HOLMES hoped that the resolution appended to the report be laid upon the table, indefinitely. It was unmasonic, and unprecedented in Masonic history. He should like to have any one of the brethren, who justly stood so high in estimation, and who had signed the report now presented, to place his hand on a single precedent in Masonic history, whether remote, mediæval or modern, which sanctioned, even by implication, this great anomaly of a general grand governing body. He declared it to be his firm belief that a thirst for power had dictated the attempt to establish this most dangerous governing element in the name of Masonry.

Its advocates declared that it did not seek power. This was incompatible with its existence, which the report before the Grand Lodge foreshadowed. Like the rolling ball of snow, it would gather volumes as time rolled it along, until at last it would become a tyranny, and an absolute power. No tyrants ever usurped place and power at a single stride; but their approaches towards sovereignty were slow and cautious, like the miner to the tower which he sought to make a crumbling ruin. The brethren should beware that they did not, by their action now, assist to bring into being such a tyranny as might exert a baneful influence on the Freemasonry of this land. Let them act so as to not stain the pages of their Masonic history with the record of their sanction by the State of New-York, of such an indefensible proposition. Brother HOLMES concluded by saying, if this move was passed now, in less than ten years an oligarchy would be erected w. ich would be at once useless, unnecessary and impolitic. Marked attention was given to the speaker throughout his address.

The business was then suspended, to receive, with appropriate honors, M. W. Grand Master WILSON, of Canada, who made a brief address, and presented to the Library of the Grand Lodge a copy, very handsomely bound, of the Grand Lodge of Canada's proceedings. After an appropriate reply of W. G. M. LEWIS, the Lodge resumed its business.

Brother HOLMES' motion was then voted upon, and prevailed by over a two-third vote.

P. G. Master EWING, representative of the Grand Lodge of Connecticut, read a lengthy communication from that Grand Lodge, asking that no candidates be received in the Lodges of this State, who do not live within their jurisdiction, and especially referring to the state of Connecticut.

Referred to Committee on Masonry.

A large number of memorials and petitions were then presented, and were referred to the appropriate Committees.

The report of the Trustees of the Auxiliary Hall and Asylum Fund of City Lodge No. 408 was then presented. They report $145 23 in the bank, drawing interest.

On motion of Deputy Grand Master SIMONS, the rule of order was suspended to enable the M. W. G. Master to enlarge the Committee on Appeals.

The Grand Lecturer, R. W. Brother DREW, read his report, which spoke well of his labors and the progress made by the lodges which he has visited during the past year. The reading of this report occupied over an hour, and was referred to a Special Committee.

A petition from several members of Eastern Star Lodge No. 227, in relation to their suspension, on the ground of illegally conferring the second and third degrees upon a gentleman of this City. (Mayor WOOD) was read and referred to the Committee on Grievances.

The Special Committee on the Grand Master's Address then presented their report.

The case of the Newburgh Lodges was referred to the Committee on Foreign Correspondence; the remaining divisions were referred to appropriate Committees, which was accepted and adopted.

Brother MACY moved that the special order of to-morrow morning be the election of the Grand Officers, to take place at 10 o'clock, which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence presented a lengthy printed report of 75 pages and the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge are due to Brother VON MENSCH, our representative near the Grand Lodge of Saxony, for the determined and fearless manner in which he has advocated our rights of jurisdiction before that Grand Lodge, and through it, before the Grand Lodges of Europe, as well as for the faithful manner in which he incessantly kept us supplied with the earliest intelligence of what was transpiring in Germany relating to our interests.

As a number of Grand Lodges are now agitating the question of a reversal of the sentence of a subordinate Lodge by the action of its Grand body:

Resolved, That when a brother has been suspended or expelled by his Lodge, and the decisions of such Lodge on appeal to the Grand Lodge has been reversed, on the ground of his innocence, the action of the Grand Lodge shall restore the brother to membership in his Lodge, as well as the general rights of Masonry.

The Grand Lodge then adjourned to meet this morning at 9 o'clock.

The following is a recapitulation of the receipts and expenditures of the Grand Lodge:

Balance, May 31, 1859	$1,311 21
Receipts	19,400 88
Total	$20,721 07
Expenditures	21,708 83
Balance due Grand Treasurer	$987 64

The Turf.

GREAT TROT BETWEEN FLORA TEMPLE AND GEO. M. PATCHEN—FLORA STILL QUEEN OF THE TURF—QUICKEST TIME ON RECORD.

The grand trotting match between *Flora Temple* and *Geo. M. Patchen* for $1,000, best three in five, which was postponed from Tuesday on account of the rain, came off yesterday afternoon at the Union Course, and resulted in favor of *Flora Temple*, who is still entitled to be called the "Queen of the Turf"—having not only beaten her opponent, but even herself, and made the quickest time on record. In the long succession of triumphs achieved by this mare last season, which was the season of her glory, the fastest time made by her was 2:22½, excepting one heat at Kalamazoo, Mich., where, upon a short track, she is claimed to have made 2:19¾. Yesterday she trotted the first heat in 2:21, the second in 2:24, and the third in 2:21½—thus excelling everything in the way of fast trotting ever before seen in the world. Although the match was made only a few days ago, yet the announcement that *Flora Temple* was to make her first appearance for the season drew together an immense crowd of spectators. There were from ten to twelve thousand persons inside the track, and not less than five hundred carriages of all descriptions, from the St. Nicholas and Metropolitan Hotel coaches to a one-horse buggy. The fair sex were represented to the number of about two hundred. There were the usual number of shoulder-hitters, fighting-men and gamblers present, but, on the whole, it was a very respectable assemblage. All of the ladies and nine-tenths of the gentlemen were partisans of *Flora Temple*, and were not a little surprised to find her new rival almost the winner of the first heat.

The betting, on Tuesday, was in favor of *Flora* at 100 to 60, but yesterday it had turned entirely the other way, and was 100 to 80 on *Patchen*. Just previous to the race, the betting was more in favor of the horse, and 100 to 75, and down to 100 to 70, was freely offered on him, and as freely taken by the friends of the mare. $500 to $400 was offered by Mr. BEVINS on the horse, and taken. The enthusiasm of *Flora's* admirers knew no bounds as the animals came in front of the judges' stand. After Mr. MCMANN, who drove *Flora*, and Mr. TALMAN, who drove *Patchen*, had drawn for positions, they went over the course a few times, to warm up and prepare for the start.

FIRST HEAT.—*Patchen* had the track, and, after two false starts, both got off, side and side, *Patchen* having a little the advantage. At the first turn *Flora* made one of her brushes, and gradually left *Patchen*, who at the quarter pole, headed her by a length. *Flora* lapped *Patchen* in going on the back stretch, but dropped behind again by a length at the half-mile pole; the greatest excitement attended the running round the upper turn, where both ran side and side, and as they passed into the home stretch it was evident that *Flora* led by a neck, and the excitement became more intense as the same position was maintained to the gate. Here the excitement became uncontrollable, and the applause of *Flora's* friends was perfectly deafening as the horses came past the judges' stand, *Flora* leading by a head in the unprecedented time of 2 minutes 21 seconds.

The betting now went at 100 to 70 on *Flora*, and the betters on time began to settle up, as the only time bet on previous to the first heat was 2:22½, and even at that.

SECOND HEAT.—*Flora* now had the track, and after a false start an even start was effected, and *Flora* left *Patchen* in going round the first turn; at the quarter pole she led him by a length, which he reduced in going over the back stretch. As he approached the half-mile pole he broke up, but did not lose anything, and the horses ran round the upper turn lapped. *Flora* coming into the home stretch just ahead of *Patchen*. The approach of the horses was the signal for the usual tumultuous demonstrations, *Flora* crowding *Patchen* towards the outside of the track, as they came towards the gate, *Patchen* trying in vain to pass her, and coming in a third of a length behind, *Flora* winning the heat in 2 minutes and 24 seconds. A protest was entered by *Patchen's* driver against being forced out of the direct track on coming down the home stretch, but it was not allowed by a majority of the judges, and the heat was given to *Flora* amidst tumultuous cheers.

THIRD HEAT.—The horses made two false starts before they got away. *Flora* had the track, and led in going round the turn; in going along the back stretch *Patchen* lapped *Flora* and passed her at the half-mile pole; he increased the distance in going round the turn, and was fully two lengths ahead at one time, but it was speedily reduced on entering upon the home stretch, and a great struggle took place in coming down to the gate, where *Flora* had the advantage, maintained it, as, amid the usual noisy yells and other demonstrations of approbation for *Flora*, Patchen broke up as he passed the distance-post, and *Flora* won the heat and the race in 2 minutes 21½ seconds.

The scene at this time was most exciting, and cheer upon cheer was sent up for *Flora*.

The same horses will trot at the Union Course on Tuesday, June 12, 2 mile heats, best 2 in 3, for $1,000 a side.

RECAPITULATION.

	1st Heat.	2d Heat.	3d Ht.
Flora Temple	1	1	1
George M. Patchen	2	2	2
Time of Running.	¼ mile. M. S.	½ mile. M. S.	¾ mile. M. S.	1 mile. M. S.
First heat	—:35	1:11	1:45	2:21
Second heat	—:36½	1:11½	—:—	2:24
Third heat	—:36	1:10	—:—	2:21½

Cricket.

PHILADELPHIA VS. ST. GEORGE.

On Wednesday morning play was resumed, with the St. George still at the bat. The weather was fine for Cricket, and everything was favorable for good play, the ground not being so dead as on the previous day. The remaining three wickets added but 17 to the score, of which BURNETT obtained 8 by excellent play, the others not troubling the scorers. Considering the remarkably fine fielding of the Philadelphians, the total of the innings, 141, was highly creditable to the St. George. In the second innings of the Philadelphians, WALTER NEWHALL and BARCLAY were the only ones who made a stand, obtaining respectively 29 and 27, and not out. Both of these numbers were well deserved, and were made up of sixes, threes, twos and singles. Some of the finest of the Philadelphia batsmen were got rid of for little or nothing, when large scores were expected, and needed to wipe off the large total of the St. George's first innings.

The Philadelphians then took the field, TINSON and WALKER being at the wickets to the bowling of SENIOR and VERNON. Both of these bowlers were delivering overs that gave the batsmen work enough to keep up their wickets, and runs were got slowly. Three wickets fell to the credit of VERNON, when but eleven runs had been scored. SADLER, a splendid bat who had scored 50 in the first innings, was caught by BARCLAY when he had made but three, which sensibly lessened the confidence of St. George; but WRIGHT'S excellent play by which he placed 18 to his credit, and GIBBES' steady scoring gained the victory for St. George with six wickets to spare.

The following is the score:

PHILADELPHIA.

Vernon, run out	3	c, H. Wright, b. Gibbes	0
Johnson, run out	21	c. Waller, b. Gibbes	4
Stevens, b. Gibbes	1	b. Sadler	0
Senior, run out	10	c. H. Wright, b. Sadler	0
W. Newhall, c. & b. H. Wright	30	c. Walker, b. Sadler	29
Barclay, c. Waller, b. Brett	6	Not out	27
Sharratt, c. Brett, b. H. Wright	1	b. Gibbes	2
Collis, run out	5	b. Sadler	2
Howe, run out	12	c. Gibbes, b. Sadler	1
Waterman b. Gibbes	1	b. W. b. Sadler	1
Kuhn, not out	2	b. Gibbes	7
Wides, 8, byes 3, 1, byes, 4	15	Wides, 4, leg byes, 1	5
Total	111	Total	81

ST. GEORGE'S CLUB.

Gibbes, run out	2	Not out	16
Waller, b. Vernon	7		
H. Wright, c. Johnson, b. Senior	8	b. Senior	18
Sadler, run out	50	c. Barclay b. Vernon	3
Brett, c. W. Newhall, b. Senior	5	Not out	3
Tinson, b. Waterman	1	c. W. Newhall b. Ver non	6
Walker, b. Waterman	0		
B Robinson, c. W. Newhall, b. Senior	28		
Burnett, not out	8		
Page, b. Senior	1		
Ford, c. & b. Vernon	13		
Wides, 22, byes, 6	28	Wides, 4, no ball, 1	5
Total	141	Total	52

ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.

Philadelphia—First Innings.

	Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.	Wides.
Gibbes	71	35	6	2	1
Brett	108	36	9	1	4
Wright	84	25	6	2	3
Second Innings.					
Gibbes	129	28	18	4	1
Brett	64	37	2	0	2
Sadler	61	11	6	6	1
St. George—First Innings.					
Senior	136	44	16	4	5
Vernon	43	19	4	2	5
Waterman	92	27	11	2	11
Barclay	9	8	0	0	1
Johnson	24	15	0	0	0
Second Innings.					
Senior	63	17	4	1	1
Vernon	52	22	3	3	3
Collis	8	8	0	0	0

The Philadelphians play the New-York Club today, (Thursday,) at 10 A. M., on the New-York ground at Hoboken.

Canine Matters.

THE NEW DOG POUND—EFFECT OF THE TWENTY-FIVE CENT PREMIUM—HOW THE DOGS ARE DROWNED, &C.

Since every dog will have his day, and the dog-days are upon us, and the old dog pound has mysteriously disappeared, the City has been to the expense of purchasing and fitting up a floating dog-pound, which cost about $300, and is now lying at the foot of Twenty-sixth-street. The old dog-pound, after being laid up for the season last year, was much coveted for fire-wood, and, not having the fear of the Metropolitan Police before their eyes, the upper works, the deck, and finally the hulk itself, disappeared, no doubt to gladden the firesides of many who appreciated that economical method of obtaining fire-wood at the public expense.

This year the City purchased a new boat, or rather an old barge, for $175. The fitting up cost $125—making a total of $300, as stated above, and the establishment has been in operation since Monday last. The beneficent hand of private philanthropy has, however, been required to furnish the dog-pound thus early, for the Mayor's Comptroller was without the "needful" to pay, and the work was done "on tick."

The hold of the barge is devoted to the purpose of securing such dogs as are brought in, until a specified time, after which such dogs as have not been reclaimed are drowned and handed over to the offal contractor, who chops them up for manure. On Monday there were 96 dogs drowned, on Tuesday 80, on Wednesday 80, and yesterday about 70. The tank in which the dogs are drowned will hold about 250. It is 16 feet long by 11 feet wide. After the victims are brought up from the hold and placed in the tank, the refractory ones being quieted by a few taps of the club, a cover is secured to the tank, and enough Croton let on to drown the lot. The offal-carts are then backed up to the pier, the sluices opened, and the dead bodies of the slain are carted off to fertilize the surrounding country, and probably return to us ere long as component parts of strawberries, lettuce, potatoes, and other excellent vegetables.

A fee of $2 is charged the owners of dogs that are reclaimed, and so great was the number of valuable dogs captured last year, that the institution, which then cost about $4,500 for capturing 9,000 dogs, almost paid for itself. The dog season lasts from June to September, and owing to the 50 cents paid heretofore for each dog brought to the pound, the trade was always brisker then than it has been this year, when only 25 cents is paid per caput. There is less temptation for the boys to steal dogs, or to import them from adjacent places. Some of the boys have been known to bring in as many as a dozen dogs in a day, which, at fifty, or even twenty-five cents a dog makes a lucrative return for the labor—and often the risk of arrest—for pet poodles, pretty greyhounds, amiable mastiffs, valuable ratters, black and tan terriers, setters and pointers, Newfoundlands, spaniels, and even bull dogs are alike sacrificed to the coveteousness of the dog hunter. The poundkeeper, however, takes the liberty of keeping for a length of time such dogs as are likely to be reclaimed, and often receives the heartfelt thanks of disconsolate owners. Two or three fine dogs are now awaiting owners in this way.

Mr. THOMAS A. GLOVER, Superintendent of Public Pounds, has charge of the one in question. His deputies, however, live on the premises, and after the repairs are complete, will transact most of the business. Two policemen are likewise detailed to preserve order in the neighborhood. Altogether the dog pound is quite an institution, and any one disposed to examine a variety of the canine species, will doubtless be gratified by the courteous Superintendent.

UNSAFE BUILDING.—Some time ago Sergeant LOUD, of the Sanitary Squad, reported the building No. 231 Broadway unsafe and in a dangerous condition. Upon a subsequent examination by the Sergeant and Fire Marshal BAKER the report was confirmed and the matter prosecuted before Justice KELLY. Here great delay was made by the lawyers who appeared on both sides, and no calculation could have been made as to the time when the ease would have terminated. Yesterday JONAS N. PHILLIPS, Superintendent of the Unsafe Building Law, ordered his Deputy to make a survey. Messrs. RICE & THOMAS, Architects, were appointed by the owner of the property, in accordance with the requirements of the law, and after examination they presented the following report:

"We find that the said wall has been lined on the southerly side, or upon the premises No. 231 Broadway, and that said wall is defective, it not having been properly tied into the old wall. We therefore decide that the said wall or lining shall be taken down to the second floor to the extent of 58 feet from east to west, and also a portion or eight feet in length from the front line on the second story, opposite the hoistway and the said wall shall be rebuilt in a proper and substantial manner to eight inches thickness, and be tied into the old wall by a sufficiency of iron anchor-binders; also, a portion of the cellar way, which is now defective, shall be taken down and made secure."

In accordance with this report, the owner will be notified to take down or strengthen the building, and should he fail to do so within a period of ten days, the Sheriff will demolish the structure, and thus put an end to the matter. This is the first case under the new law, and the prompt action on the part of Mr. PHILLIPS is worthy of commendation.

DYING SWANS.—Seven of the twelve graceful, arch-necked swans, presented by the City of Hamburg to the City of New-York, died suddenly on Tuesday afternoon, in the pond at the Central Park, of whose waters, it was anticipated, they would constitute the chief ornament during the Summer and the Fall. Death, that strikes kings in their palaces and peasants in their huts, does not spare swans in their ornamental inclosures. Without singing their death hymn, as the popular fable assures us dying swans always do, these seven swans departed this life. Their sudden demise led to the supposition that poison had been employed, and Dr. DORRNUS, with a view to assert or contradict that theory, has undertaken a chemical analysis of their intestinal organs. It is believed, anticipatory of such analysis, that they died of cake. Young and old children, and old ladies of both sexes, who should have known better, since the swans have been presented to the public, have been feeding them on cake. Swans will eat cake, as, from courtesy, they will eat anything that is politely offered them. But cake is objectionable to the digestive apparatus of swans—and consequently death ensued in these seven instances. Let no visitor to the Park, under the guise of friendship, give the survivors more than a cordial verbal salutation.

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.—This organization, composed principally of mechanics, assembled last evening, by order of the Secretary, at No. 175 Bowery, Col. ROSE in the chair. After hearing the report of the retiring officers, it was, upon motion of FRANCIS J. TUCKER, Esq.,

Resolved, That the members of this organization unite for the purpose of advocating and advancing the claims of such candidate for the Presidency whose record shows him to be an advocate for the rights of the people, to be hereafter indorsed by this party and that Committees and Ward Associations be established for that purpose in the various divisions of the Metropolitan District.

After some discussion it was moved by Mr. JOHN GOODRICH that Gen. SAM HOUSTON, of Texas, be declared the choice of this organization. To which was added the amendment that ABRAM LINCOLN, of Illinois, be declared the choice of the meeting. The motion and amendment provoked considerable discussion, and was, after some debate, laid on the table. An Executive Committee of twenty-two, one from each Ward, was then selected, with power to add to their numbers, and FRANCIS JOHN TUCKER, Esq., selected as Permanent Chairman, and JOHN GOODRICH, Esq., as Secretary. A general meeting, of which due notice will be published, is to be held next week.

TWELFTH WARD REPUBLICATION ASSOCIATION.—A grand rally of the Twelfth Ward Republican Association was held last evening at Harlem. About 500 voters were present. Robertson's Band furnished the music. Mr. J. F. WILLIAMS was chosen Chairman, and Mr. W. E. PABOR, Secretary. R. F. ANDREWS, Esq., Hon. DANIEL ULLMANN and Mr. JAS. E. WHARTON, formerly editor of the *Wheeling Times*, addressed the assemblage; the several speeches were listened to with attention and loudly applauded. Hon. ABRAM WAKEMAN read the resolutions adopted by the Association, embodying the usual matter in those of similar organizations, that, in the name of ABRAHAM LINCOLN and HANNIBAL HAMLIN they had a sure guarantee of a wise, prudent, economical, honest and constitutional administration, laying aside all former preferences, pledging themselves to heartily and earnestly support them. The resolutions were unanimously adopted, and the orderly assemblage dispersed to their homes.

RAIL SPLITTERS' BATTALION.—There is now in the course of organization among the Republicans of this City a battalion called "Rail Splitters," somewhat similar to the "Wide Awakes," so celebrated in the recent New-England campaigns. The "Rail Splitters" number about two hundred and fifty, and are rapidly increasing. They will wear a uniform consisting of glazed cap and cape and each will carry on parade a long round staff Whether this is to support the weak-limbed, or to make sonorous applause at the meetings, or to tap the sconces of the Opposition, or is emblematical of the celebrated rails split by Mr. LINCOLN does not appear. The Battalion created quite a sensation last night on Broadway *en route* for Washington Parade-ground, where they were drilled thoroughly. They will be present at the Republican ratification meeting to-night, and no doubt will prove an interesting feature of the evening. Permanent officers have yet to be elected. Councilman BRUCE is one of their temporary Captains.

THE SECOND ANNUAL TARGET EXCURSION of the Original Brewers' and Coopers' Guard took place yesterday, at LANDMANN'S, Hamilton Park. At about 8 o'clock the line was formed in front of KRESS & SCHAEFER'S, Lagerbier Saloon in Avenue A, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, the head quarters of the company. The procession consisted of about twenty elegantly trimmed wagons containing the members of the company and two bands of music, one of which was stationed in front of the procession, and the other towards the end. A mounted guard headed the whole. Most of the wagons had a team of four horses—two or three, however, had six horses. The company, after passing through several of the principal thoroughfares of the City, proceeded to the festival grounds, where the time was spent in the usual sports. The weather favored the excursionists, and their festival was largely attended.

OBSTRUCTIONS IN THE HARBOR.—The attention of the Harbor Commissioners is called to the dangerous position of a sunken schooner in the North River, near Governor's Island. The tops of her masts are in sight at low water, and there is a probability that she will be the cause of damage to some of the many vessels daily passing. This schooner was sunk during last Winter, and has been drifting about the harbor ever since. In drawing the shad-poles, the past Spring, the Harbor Police did their work in a very imperfect manner. In a large majority of cases they parted the splicings of the poles, thus leaving their butts in the bottom, and their tops near enough the surface of the water to do damage to any vessel coming in contact with them. It is hoped the Commission will give their attention to this evil.

THE SUPERIOR COURT REMOVED TO TAMMANY HALL.—Yesterday, through an arrangement made with Mr. BROWN, the proprietor of Tammany Hall, the large room of that building was rented for one month, at a cost of $500, for the use of the Superior Court, the furniture of the Court-room being moved there for the accommodation of judges, lawyers, jurors and spectators. Part 2 of the Court was held there yesterday, and to-day Part 1 will take its turn. The Supervisors deny that they are responsible for this state of things, and throw the blame upon the Legislature.

NEW-YORK MILITARY ABROAD.—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "Company A, of the Eleventh Regiment, of New-York, paid a visit to Independence Hall at noon on Tuesday, and was received and welcomed on behalf of the city by Gen. SMALL, to which the Captain of Company A fittingly responded. Cheers were then given for the Hall of Independence and for the citizens of Philadelphia, after which the band performed 'Hail Columbia.' The Company was then dismissed for a brief period, to inspect the paintings and relics in the Hall."

THE CAPTURED AFRICANS.—Preparations are progressing, under the direction of the American Colonization Society, for the conveyance of the Africans, captured on board the *Wildfire*, and now at Key West, to Liberia. The ship *Castilian*, of about 1,000 tons burden, and now lying at Pier No. 17 East River, has been chartered for the outward trip at $12,000; and another ship was reported as having been engaged for the same purpose, on terms not disclosed.

REGATTA OF THE NEW-YORK YACHT CLUB.—The annual Regatta of the New-York Yacht Club takes place to-day, and should the weather be favorable, a pleasant and exciting time may be anticipated. The *Rebecca*, of Plum-Gut notoriety, is the only first-class sloop entered. Of the second and third classes there are four each. These, with two first-class schooners, the *Zinga* and *Favorita*, and five second-class, comprise the vessels which are to sail.

FOR EUROPE.—The Royal Mail steamer *Persia* left yesterday for Liverpool with a large number of passengers, among others Capt. JOHN PALLISER, who for the last three years has had charge of the Hudson Bay Company's territory surveying party; Capt. SCOTT and lady, (late Madame BODISCO) and Rt. Rev. Bishop POTTER.

FOUND DROWNED.—The body of an unknown man, apparently a seaman, was on Tuesday morning found floating in the East River off Governor's Island, and has the appearance of having been foully dealt with. He was taken to the foot of Whitehall-street and the Coroner notified.

EXCISE LICENSES.—Messrs. HOLMES and HASKETT met yesterday at noon, in the Common Pleas Room, City Hall, and granted nine licenses at thirty dollars each.

Fires.

IN CHATHAM-STREET.

Last night a fire broke out in the bedding factory of MELLEN, BANKS & WILCOX, on the second floor of No. 152 Chatham-street, damaging their stock to the amount of $100. Insured. The stock of HYMES & BRO., clothiers, on the first floor, was damaged to the amount of $50 by water. Insured for $6,500 in the Excelsior, United States, Importers and Traders, Exchange and Kings County Insurance Companies. The building, owned by Mr. WILCOX, was damaged to the amount of $50. Origin of the fire unknown.

IN A BOARDING-HOUSE.

At 5 o'clock yesterday morning a fire occurred in the boarding-house kept by Mrs RANNEY, at No. 767 Broadway, corner of Ninth street, in consequence of the carelessness of a colored man-servant in retiring and leaving a candle burning near his bed. The fire was soon extinguished, and the damage sustained will not exceed $50.

IN A PIANOFORTE MANUFACTORY.

At 12¾ o'clock this morning a fire occurred in CHICKERING'S pianoforte manufactory, corner of Fourth-street and Broadway, but being discovered at an early moment it was extinguished before any material damage was done to the establishment.

IN A SHANTY.

A shanty corner of Sixty-first-street and Broadway was destroyed yesterday morning by fire, occasioning a loss to the owner of $75.

Police Reports.

A VICTIM OF WINNING WAYS.

Mrs. Trainer, a milliner at No. 9 Division-street, complained at the Detective Police-office a few days since, that she had received a $5 counterfeit bill on the Central Bank of New-York, and a $1 on the Central Bank of Tennessee, from a good-looking young woman who had purchased a bonnet, and said that she was Miss Emily Mestayer, an actress at Barnum's Museum, fortifying her assertion by presenting what purported to be passes of admission to that place of amusement. Subsequently additional complaints were made against the same young woman for attempting to pass other worthless bills, and Detective Roach apprehended her yesterday morning at her boarding-house, corner of Fortieth-street and Second-avenue. The accused is named Anna Keese; she was formerly a governess in this City, but it is said has recently adopted a disreputable life. She is held for examination.

DIVERS DELINQUENCIES.

Mr. David J. Nevin, a coal dealer, residing at No. 669 Greenwich-street, was required, yesterday, by Justice KELLY, to furnish $500 bail, to answer a charge of false pretences, preferred by Mr. John H. McKinley. The complainant alleges that he was induced to purchase a note for $472 76 from Nevin, upon his assertion that it had been given by J. V. C. Buckhout, its maker, for value received. When the note became due, it was not paid, and Mr. McKinley believes that it belongs to that class known as "accommodation notes."... A young man named Charles Mitchell, who was running along Nassau-street, yesterday afternoon, with a chest of tea upon his shoulder, was arrested by Detectives Macdougal and Bennett, on suspicion of having stolen the property. He was locked up at head-quarters for examination.

Coroners' Inquests.

DEATH FROM ACCIDENTAL CAUSES.

Mrs. HARRIET HARITAGE, a lady 41 years of age, residing at No. 31 West Thirteenth-street, died on Tuesday night in consequence of dreadful burns received on Sunday last by the bursting of a fluid lamp. ....The body of a man, apparently 30 years of age, wearing the dress of a longshoreman, was found in the harbor between Governor's Island and the Battery. No marks of violence were visible, so a verdict of death by drowning was rendered.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

THE QUARANTINE COMMISSIONERS.

PROTEST AGAINST THE MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS—PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS FOR LOSSES AND COMMENCEMENT OF TAKING TESTIMONY.

The Quarantine Commissioners met at noon yesterday at No. 42 Wall-street, pursuant to adjournment of the previous day, Mr. LEAVENWORTH, the Chairman, presiding. A lithograph of the Quarantine buildings, as they appeared previous to being burned, was laid before the Commissioners as a guide in their proposed investigation touching the destruction of property at Quarantine.

Mr. A. C. Bradly, counsel for the Board of Supervisors of Richmond County, entered a formal protest against the proceedings of the Commissioners, claiming the illegality of the statute under which they assumed to act.

Mr. JOHNSON stated that he appeared for several Quarantine boatmen and others. He presented the claims of his clients for damages as follows:

Joseph Journeaux	$224 50	John Waters	$162 00
Capt. J. Nelson	220 00	G. M. F. Randolph	105 00
Louis Hansen	126 00	David McLyman	75 00
Edw. Cunningham	169 20	James Doyle	66 00

Mr. LOT C. CLARKE, on behalf of the Richmond County Board of Supervisors, urged that each claimant for damages should submit a bill of particulars, setting forth each item of loss. He also wished to know whether the Commissioners could compel the attendance of witnesses, and punish for contempt, as the law gave them no such power.

Mr. LEAVENWORTH claimed that they were by law invested with all the powers of a preliminary court of inquiry. Touching the bill of particulars, he stated that it was the intention of the Commissioners to insist upon a detailed account of each person's loss.

Mr. John E. Develin presented the names of the claimants for whom he appeared, and the amounts of their claims, as follows:

Commissioners of Emigration for State property held in trust	$260,700 00
Commissioners of Emigration	23,442 25
Dr. Bissell, Physician of the Marine Hospital	6,565 55
Dr. Walser, Assistant Physician in the Marine Hospital	6,225 00

In presenting these claims, Mr. DEVELIN urged that they were just due in each case, and he hoped for a thorough investigation, without the interposition of technical objections by parties opposing. As the Attorney-General, Mr. MYERS, could not be in the City until next Tuesday, he asked a postponement of the investigation regarding the claims of the Commissioners of Emigration until the next Wednesday.

Mr. CLARKE opposed the postponement, insisting that as the expenses of the Commission—about $50 a day—was to come out of the pockets of the Richmond County people, they ought to hurry the business through.

Mr. LEAVENWORTH said that for himself and the other members of the Commission, he was willing to bring their work to a speedy completion. The request of Mr. DEVELIN was thought reasonable, and the same was granted.

Evidence was now taken at some length regarding the losses alleged to have been sustained by the Quarantine boatmen, whose claims were submitted by Mr. JOHNSON, as stated above. DAVIS MCLYMAN, whose case was first taken up, was shown to have been compelled to hire part of a house outside the Quarantine walls after the burning of the buildings. There were six boatmen under the orders of the Health Officer at the time of the fire, all of whom had house accommodations free of rent within the Quarantine inclosure. JOHN WATERS, it was testified, in addition to the loss of his furniture, had $125 worth of hens burned up. EDWARD CUNNINGHAM sustained an extra loss of several barrels of lime.

Dr. R. H. THOMPSON, former Health Officer, corroborated the statements of the boatmen, as to their having free dwelling places within the Quarantine grounds previous to the burning of the Quarantine buildings, and the necessity of their subsequently paying for house-room elsewhere. He paid the men $40 a month each, and made no increase after the conflagration. The men were at liberty to leave when they chose, and it was his privilege to discharge any one or all of them at any moment.

The Commissioners, after a session of nearly four hours, adjourned to 10 o'clock this morning.

LETTER FROM DR. JEROME.

QUARANTINE, STATEN ISLAND, MARINE HOSPITAL, Wednesday, June 6, 1860.

Hon. WILSON G. HUNT:

SIR: I have read with much pleasure the preamble and resolution offered by you at a meeting of the Commissioners of Emigration, held on Monday last, and adopted by that body, embracing your views, and of course the views of the Commissioners of Emigration, as to the protection of the Cities of New-York and Brooklyn, and the State at large, from the introduction of yellow fever, and other pestilential diseases, and to enable the present Quarantine Commissioners to use an appropriation made for the establishment and maintenance of a temporary Quarantine.

The Legislature, in its wisdom, has provided all the necessary safeguards to protect the people against the ravages of pestilence in every form, and have appointed the Commissioners of Emigration as their agents to carry out the wise and beneficent intentions so necessary for the preservation of the health of the inhabitants of the Cities of New York and Brooklyn, the former being justly known as the commercial metropolis of the whole United States, communicating by roads, railways, steamers, and other public conveyances, with every part of the State, and of the adjoining States, from whence disease could be spread almost as rapidly as by the winds or by the waves.

As the public functionary having the charge of the public buildings devoted to the protection of health, and to carry out the sanitary regulations of the Legislature, whether in the remaining buildings on Staten Island, or in the floating hospital known as the "Falcon," I feel it incumbent upon me to offer my advice to your Board, to make all the necessary arrangements to provide against the fearful calamity so graphically sketched in the preamble and the resolution offered by you, and adopted by your Board on Monday last, and I shall take great pleasure in meeting either the whole Board of Commissioners of Emigration, or a Committee thereof, either in connection with the Boards of Health of the Cities of New-York and Brooklyn, or Committees representing either or both of such boards, as they may desire.

It is hardly necessary for me, as Physician of Marine Hospital, to remind you that a great commercial city is at all times liable to the attacks of yellow fever or other pestilential diseases. Your resolution foreshadows an intelligence upon that subject worthy of emulation by your colleagues as a Board, and also by the several Boards having charge of the sanitary condition of the several cities washed by the waters of the Bay of New-York, the East and Hudson Rivers, and incidentally the whole State of New-York.

The people look particularly to your Board as the custodians of the means to provide for the protection of the health of the whole people.

When pestilence is stalking in our midst, there will be no time to make a provision against its fearful effects.

It will be my greatest pleasure, as far as lies in my power, to second the Board of Commissioners of Emigration in protecting the cities of New-York and Brooklyn, and the State at large, against the introduction of yellow fever and other pestilential diseases.

Your funds are ample, and you have the means at your command so to do, and the people will hold you, and all members of your Board, to a strict accountability if pestilence should reach us unprepared. Recollect, however, that strict accountability will not restore the precious lives which may be lost by pestilential disease, and particularly by yellow fever.

Very respectfully, I am your ob't servant,

J. H. JEROME,
Physician of Marine Hospital.

COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.

WEEKLY STATEMENT—PROVISION FOR YELLOW FEVER PATIENTS—THEIR AFFAIRS WITH THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board took place yesterday afternoon at Castle Garden—President VERPLANCK in the Chair.

According to the weekly statement, the number of emigrants arrived at this port up to this date amounted to 38,817, against 28,906 arrived during the same time last year. The balance of the commutation fund in the Bank amounts to $29,162 80.

A communication was received of the Quarantine Commissioners asking for a loan of $3,000 to defray the first expenses for the reception of yellow fever patients, in anticipation of the funds to be raised by mortgage on the Seguine's Point property. The communication also contained a statement that two patients had arrived lately in a vessel from Rio Janeiro, on board of which two cases of yellow fever had occurred at that port; and that they had to be brought to the Seamen's Retreat in want of other accommodation. On motion of Commissioner LOW the loan was granted, under the condition that the money should be retained out of the moneys raised on the Seguine's Point property. It was then resolved to appoint a Committee to settle the affairs pending between the Commissioners of Emigration, and the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. Messrs. VERPLANCK, CARRIGAN and CUMMINGS were appointed. The Board then adjourned.

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